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College Giants Collide In Series

'59 Finalists Square Off In Opener

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OMAHA — It's a match of college baseball's giants from start to finish in the 14th annual College World Series.

Oklahoma State, the champion of last year's Series, swept through another great season and is attempting to do what only one school has done before — win the baseball championship of the NCAA for 2 consecutive years. Only the Longhorns of Texas could pull that feat previously (1949-50).

And Oklahoma State, 15-5 on the regular season and winners of the Big 8 Conference again under Coach-of-the-Year Toby

Series Pairings

Here are the pairings for the 1960 College World Series double-elimination tournament:

Friday, June 10

8 p.m. — Oklahoma State (15-5) vs. Arizona (41-7).

Saturday, June 11

2 p.m. — North Carolina (22-5) vs. Minnesota (29-6).

6 p.m. — Boston College (13-4) vs. Colo. St. College (25-10).

8 p.m. — St. John's (19-) vs. Southern Cal (35-12).

Greene, faces a hefty challenge in the tourney opener Friday night.

Oklahoma State meets the University of Arizona, the nation's winningest ball club with a 41-7 record and the club the Cowboys defeated 5-3 in the 1959 championship finale.

Oklahoma State, ranked first in COLLEGIATE BASEBALL's national poll, only 2 weeks ago, faces strong bids from 2 other teams who have held the top-ranking.

The University of Southern California, the nation's No. 1 team for most of the season and now ranked No. 3, has a peppery, sophomore-laden ball club that is shooting for the Trojans' third NCAA championship. USC won in 1948 and also in 1958. The Trojans had a brilliant team in 1959 but were ineligible for the NCAA championship because of football recruiting irregularities.

USC is 35-12 going into the College World Series and has one of the nation's winningest collegiate pitchers in Bruce Gardner (15-0), who pitched in the '58 World Series.

And Minnesota's Golden Gophers, ranked atop COLLEGIATE BASEBALL's latest poll, are an outstanding contender for the Series crown. Minnesota, winner of the 1956 World Series, put together a great 29-6 season's record and swept undefeated through the District 4 playoff.

In the second day of College World Series play, USC will meet one of the tournaments Cinderella clubs, St. John's.

The Redmen of New York made a slow start, but put together a great finish with 12 straight wins to place second in New York City's Metropolitan Conference. And when Metro champ Hofstra dropped out of the playoff because of a conflict in exam schedules, St. John's went into the playoff and won the trip to Omaha. St. John's carries a



fine 19-5 record into its game against USC.

Minnesota comes up against the champion of the south in its first World Series game.

The Golden Gophers will face the Tar Heels of North Carolina, a team that has won 14 straight and has a 22-5 season's record. North Carolina waltzed through the District 3 playoff undefeated. Teams from Districts 1 and 7 meet in the other opening round game.

Boston College, coached by former major leaguer Eddie Pellagrini, tripped Holy Cross in the District 1 final after Connecticut, a pre-tourney favorite, had been ousted. BC's Eagles are 13-4 on the season.

Cal Gets A Hula Bonus!

BERKELEY—As a consolation for being technically ruled out of the NCAA playoffs in favor of CIBA co-champion Southern California, the California baseball varsity will spend eight full days-plus in balmy Hawaii.

George Wolfman's Bears will play their first of five games June 12 at 2 p.m., against the Sub-Pac. Two night games are scheduled, Monday and the 8 p.m. Wednesday contest with the University of Hawaii in Honolulu Stadium. All but that one are with various hosting service nines. The second weekend the boys will be accorded some of our 50th state's famed relaxation delights. They return home Monday, June 20.

Boston College will meet a far and BC have made previous trips west foe—Colorado State College to the College World Series. This (25-10)—in its opener. Both CSC is the fourth straight Omaha trip

for the Coloradans while Boston College went to the fourth round in the 1953 tournament.

Thus the 1960 College World Series field shapes up as one of the best in history. The field has the No. 1 and No. 2 teams of 1959. It has two former champions in USC and Minnesota. It has a Cinderella entry in the Redmen of St. John's.

The pre-tournament favorite? Minnesota's well-balanced ball club has strong backing. And Oklahoma State, USC and Arizona all must be placed among pre-tourney selections.

Top-Rated Gophers Capture Playoffs

MINNEAPOLIS — Top-ranked Minnesota roared through the District 4 playoffs without a defeat and thus enters the College World Series for the second time.

In their only previous Series appearance, the Golden Gophers of Coach Dick Siebert returned home as national champions.

The Minnesotans romped past Notre Dame, 15-6, in their first game in the playoffs, then tumbled courageous Detroit, 12-5.

In the championship game, the Gophers came up against Coach Lloyd Brazil's Titans for the second time. And Minnesota barely

squeezed past the Michigan team, 5-4.

Detroit had the tying run on third base when Shortstop Dave Pfelepsen pulled in a short fly to stop the threat and preserve the win.

In the finale, Detroit used all 3 of its top pitchers in an effort to stay alive. Ed Mier went the first 4 innings, giving up just 1 run. Then Dave DeBusschere came on for 4 innings, with Gary Mettke hurling just the eighth inning. Sophomore Dan Osinski, the club's usual reliever, came on to finish up.

Minnesota, Notre Dame and

Ohio State each placed 2 men on the All-District team announced at the playoffs.

The first team: P — Larry Berleson (7-0 and 2.34), Minnesota, and Nick Palihnich (6-1 and 2.29), Notre Dame. C — Joe McCabe (4.02), Purdue. 1B — Wayne Knapp (3.67), Minnesota. 2B — Jack Gentempo (4.05), Notre Dame. SS — Frank Quilici (4.00), Western Michigan. 3B — Ray Apple (3.44), Ohio State. OF — Wilbert Franklin (4.02), Michigan; Larry Thomas (3.58), Ohio; and Tom Perdue (4.69), Ohio State.

The second team: P — Paul Seitz (7-2 and 2.25), Ohio State, and Mickey Sinks (7-3 and 1.25), MSU. C — Larry Belanger (3.20), WMU. 1B — Bill Roman (3.50), Michigan. 2B — Dick Rollins (3.58), Kent State. SS — Dave Pfelepsen (3.46), Minnesota. 3B — Dan Hagen (3.33), Notre Dame. OF — Howard Nathe (4.17), Minnesota; Don Foreman (3.91), Indiana; and Dennis Lundgren (4.23), Northwestern.

The third team: P — Jack Mitchell (4-1 and .065), Notre Dame, and Tony Drobnik (4-1 and 2.37), Ohio State. C — Neil Junker (.282), Minnesota. 1B — Vince Scales (3.27), Ohio. 2B — Jim Wiezbinski (.311), Ohio State. SS — Bob Mauer (3.70), Ohio. 3B — Cal Rolloff (3.41), Minnesota. OF — Dale Hakbart (3.38), Wisconsin; Bruce Maher (5.02), Detroit; and Jim Fisher (3.85), Wittenberg.

GAME NO. 1
Detroit 000 210 724—16 14 1
Ohio U. 110 000 000—2 4 6
DeBusschere, Oskinski (8) and Maher, Tramley (9), State, Pentecost (4), Kinsey (7), Coskern (8) and Wendersleben, O'Neill (9). W—DeBusschere. L—Pentecost.

GAME NO. 2
Notre Dame 030 101 010—6 10 2
Minnesota 501 000 36x—15 15 1
Palihnich, Fitzpatrick (8), Brennan (8) and Osgood, Bertelsen, Rantz (6) and Junker. W—Bertelsen. L—Palihnich.

GAME NO. 3
Notre Dame 022 000 000—4 6 5
Ohio U 210 001 000—5 7 1
Mitchell and Wejck, Osgood (10), Crew and Wendersleben.

GAME NO. 4
Detroit 000 300 002—5 6 2
Minnesota 208 021 13x—12 12 1
Mettke, Oskinski (6) and Tomoley, Bertling (3), Nelson and Junker. L—Mettke.

GAME NO. 5
Detroit 431 320 010—14 3 2
Ohio U. 000 110 002—4 6 1
Mier and Bertling, State, Kochenderfer (1), Pentecost (4) and Wendersleben, O'Neill (9). W—DeBusschere. L—Valesquez.

GAME NO. 6
Detroit 010 001 011—4 6 0
Minnesota 010 000 13x—8 9 1
Mier, DeBusschere (4), Mettke (7), Oskinski (8) and Maher, Nathe and Junker. L—Oskinski.

GAME NO. 7
Detroit 000 210 724—16 14 1
Ohio U. 110 000 000—2 4 6
DeBusschere, Oskinski (8) and Maher, Tramley (9), State, Pentecost (4), Kinsey (7), Coskern (8) and Wendersleben, O'Neill (9). W—DeBusschere. L—Pentecost.

GAME NO. 8
Notre Dame 030 101 010—6 10 2
Minnesota 501 000 36x—15 15 1
Palihnich, Fitzpatrick (8), Brennan (8) and Osgood, Bertelsen, Rantz (6) and Junker. W—Bertelsen. L—Palihnich.

GAME NO. 9
Notre Dame 022 000 000—4 6 5
Ohio U 210 001 000—5 7 1
Mitchell and Wejck, Osgood (10), Crew and Wendersleben.

GAME NO. 10
Notre Dame 030 101 010—6 10 2
Minnesota 501 000 36x—15 15 1
Palihnich, Fitzpatrick (8), Brennan (8) and Osgood, Bertelsen, Rantz (6) and Junker. W—Bertelsen. L—Palihnich.

GAME NO. 11
Notre Dame 022 000 000—4 6 5
Ohio U 210 001 000—5 7 1
Mier and Bertling, State, Kochenderfer (1), Pentecost (4) and Wendersleben, O'Neill (9). W—DeBusschere. L—Valesquez.

GAME NO. 12
Notre Dame 030 101 010—6 10 2
Minnesota 501 000 36x—15 15 1
Palihnich, Fitzpatrick (8), Brennan (8) and Osgood, Bertelsen, Rantz (6) and Junker. W—Bertelsen. L—Palihnich.

GAME NO. 13
Notre Dame 022 000 000—4 6 5
Ohio U 210 001 000—5 7 1
Mier and Bertling, State, Kochenderfer (1), Pentecost (4) and Wendersleben, O'Neill (9). W—DeBusschere. L—Valesquez.

GAME NO. 14
Notre Dame 030 101 010—6 10 2
Minnesota 501 000 36x—15 15 1
Palihnich, Fitzpatrick (8), Brennan (8) and Osgood, Bertelsen, Rantz (6) and Junker. W—Bertelsen. L—Palihnich.

GAME NO. 15
Notre Dame 022 000 000—4 6 5
Ohio U 210 001 000—5 7 1
Mier and Bertling, State, Kochenderfer (1), Pentecost (4) and Wendersleben, O'Neill (9). W—DeBusschere. L—Valesquez.

GAME NO. 16
Notre Dame 030 101 010—6 10 2
Minnesota 501 000 36x—15 15 1
Palihnich, Fitzpatrick (8), Brennan (8) and Osgood, Bertelsen, Rantz (6) and Junker. W—Bertelsen. L—Palihnich.

GAME NO. 17
Notre Dame 022 000 000—4 6 5
Ohio U 210 001 000—5 7 1
Mier and Bertling, State, Kochenderfer (1), Pentecost (4) and Wendersleben, O'Neill (9). W—DeBusschere. L—Valesquez.

GAME NO. 18
Notre Dame 030 101 010—6 10 2
Minnesota 501 000 36x—15 15 1
Palihnich, Fitzpatrick (8), Brennan (8) and Osgood, Bertelsen, Rantz (6) and Junker. W—Bertelsen. L—Palihnich.

GAME NO. 19
Notre Dame 022 000 000—4 6 5
Ohio U 210 001 000—5 7 1
Mier and Bertling, State, Kochenderfer (1), Pentecost (4) and Wendersleben, O'Neill (9). W—DeBusschere. L—Valesquez.

GAME NO. 20
Notre Dame 030 101 010—6 10 2
Minnesota 501 000 36x—15 15 1
Palihnich, Fitzpatrick (8), Brennan (8) and Osgood, Bertelsen, Rantz (6) and Junker. W—Bertelsen. L—Palihnich.

GAME NO. 21
Notre Dame 022 000 000—4 6 5
Ohio U 210 001 000—5 7 1
Mier and Bertling, State, Kochenderfer (1), Pentecost (4) and Wendersleben, O'Neill (9). W—DeBusschere. L—Valesquez.

GAME NO. 22
Notre Dame 030 101 010—6 10 2
Minnesota 501 000 36x—15 15 1
Palihnich, Fitzpatrick (8), Brennan (8) and Osgood, Bertelsen, Rantz (6) and Junker. W—Bertelsen. L—Palihnich.

GAME NO. 23
Notre Dame 022 000 000—4 6 5
Ohio U 210 001 000—5 7 1
Mier and Bertling, State, Kochenderfer (1), Pentecost (4) and Wendersleben, O'Neill (9). W—DeBusschere. L—Valesquez.

GAME NO. 24
Notre Dame 030 101 010—6 10 2
Minnesota 501 000 36x—15 15 1
Palihnich, Fitzpatrick (8), Brennan (8) and Osgood, Bertelsen, Rantz (6) and Junker. W—Bertelsen. L—Palihnich.

GAME NO. 25
Notre Dame 022 000 000—4 6 5
Ohio U 210 001 000—5 7 1
Mier and Bertling, State, Kochenderfer (1), Pentecost (4) and Wendersleben, O'Neill (9). W—DeBusschere. L—Valesquez.

GAME NO. 26
Notre Dame 030 101 010—6 10 2
Minnesota 501 000 36x—15 15 1
Palihnich, Fitzpatrick (8), Brennan (8) and Osgood, Bertelsen, Rantz (6) and Junker. W—Bertelsen. L—Palihnich.

GAME NO. 27
Notre Dame 022 000 000—4 6 5
Ohio U 210 001 000—5 7 1
Mier and Bertling, State, Kochenderfer (1), Pentecost (4) and Wendersleben, O'Neill (9). W—DeBusschere. L—Valesquez.

GAME NO. 28
Notre Dame 030 101 010—6 10 2
Minnesota 501 000 36x—15 15 1
Palihnich, Fitzpatrick (8), Brennan (8) and Osgood, Bertelsen, Rantz (6) and Junker. W—Bertelsen. L—Palihnich.

GAME NO. 29
Notre Dame 022 000 000—4 6 5
Ohio U 210 001 000—5 7 1
Mier and Bertling, State, Kochenderfer (1), Pentecost (4) and Wendersleben, O'Neill (9). W—DeBusschere. L—Valesquez.

GAME NO. 30
Notre Dame 030 101 010—6 10 2
Minnesota 501 000 36x—15 15 1
Palihnich, Fitzpatrick (8), Brennan (8) and Osgood, Bertelsen, Rantz (6) and Junker. W—Bertelsen. L—Palihnich.

GAME NO. 31
Notre Dame 022 000 000—4 6 5
Ohio U 210 001 000—5 7 1
Mier and Bertling, State, Kochenderfer (1), Pentecost (4) and Wendersleben, O'Neill (9). W—DeBusschere. L—Valesquez.

GAME NO. 32
Notre Dame 030 101 010—6 10 2
Minnesota 501 000 36x—15 15 1
Palihnich, Fitzpatrick (8), Brennan (8) and Osgood, Bertelsen, Rantz (6) and Junker. W—Bertelsen. L—Palihnich.

GAME NO. 33
Notre Dame 022 000 000—4 6 5
Ohio U 210 001 000—5 7 1
Mier and Bertling, State, Kochenderfer (1), Pentecost (4) and Wendersleben, O'Neill (9). W—DeBusschere. L—Valesquez.

GAME NO. 34
Notre Dame 030 101 010—6 10 2
Minnesota 501 000 36x—15 15 1
Palihnich, Fitzpatrick (8), Brennan (8) and Osgood, Bertelsen, Rantz (6) and Junker. W—Bertelsen. L—Palihnich.

GAME NO. 35
Notre Dame 022 000 000—4 6 5
Ohio U 210 001 000—5 7 1
Mier and Bertling, State, Kochenderfer (1), Pentecost (4) and Wendersleben, O'Neill (9). W—DeBusschere. L—Valesquez.

GAME NO. 36
Notre Dame 030 101 010—6 10 2
Minnesota 501 000 36x—15 15 1
Palihnich, Fitzpatrick (8), Brennan (8) and Osgood, Bertelsen, Rantz (6) and Junker. W—Bertelsen. L—Palihnich.

GAME NO. 37
Notre Dame 022 000 000—4 6 5
Ohio U 210 001 000—5 7 1
Mier and Bertling, State, Kochenderfer (1), Pentecost (4) and Wendersleben, O'Neill (9). W—DeBusschere. L—Valesquez.

GAME NO. 38
Notre Dame 030 101 010—6 10 2
Minnesota 501 000 36x—15 15 1
Palihnich, Fitzpatrick (8), Brennan (8) and Osgood, Bertelsen, Rantz (6) and Junker. W—Bertelsen. L—Palihnich.

GAME NO. 39
Notre Dame 022 000 000—4 6 5
Ohio U 210 001 000—5 7 1
Mier and Bertling, State, Kochenderfer (1), Pentecost (4) and Wendersleben, O'Neill (9). W—DeBusschere. L—Valesquez.

GAME NO. 40
Notre Dame 030 101 010—6 10 2
Minnesota 501 000 36x—15 15 1
Palihnich, Fitzpatrick (8), Brennan (8) and Osgood, Bertelsen, Rantz (6) and Junker. W—Bertelsen. L—Palihnich.

GAME NO. 41
Notre Dame 022 000 000—4 6 5
Ohio U 210 001 000—5 7 1
Mier and Bertling, State, Kochenderfer (1), Pentecost (4) and Wendersleben, O'Neill (9). W—DeBusschere. L—Valesquez.

GAME NO. 42
Notre Dame 030 101 010—6 10 2
Minnesota 501 000 36x—15 15 1
Palihnich, Fitzpatrick (8), Brennan (8) and Osgood, Bertelsen, Rantz (6) and Junker. W—Bertelsen. L—Palihnich.

GAME NO. 43
Notre Dame 022 000 000—4 6 5
Ohio U 210 001 000—5 7 1
Mier and Bertling, State, Kochenderfer (1), Pentecost (4) and Wendersleben, O'Neill (9). W—DeBusschere. L—Valesquez.

GAME NO. 44
Notre Dame 030 101 010—6 10 2
Minnesota 501 000 36x—15 15 1
Palihnich, Fitzpatrick (8), Brennan (8) and Osgood, Bertelsen, Rantz (6) and Junker. W—Bertelsen. L—Palihnich.

GAME NO. 45
Notre Dame 022 000 000—4 6 5
Ohio U 210 001 000—5 7 1
Mier and Bertling, State, Kochenderfer (1), Pentecost (4) and Wendersleben, O'Neill (9). W—DeBusschere. L—Valesquez.

GAME NO. 46
Notre Dame 030 101 010—6 10 2
Minnesota 501 000 36x—15 15 1
Palihnich, Fitzpatrick (8), Brennan (8) and Osgood, Bertelsen, Rantz (6) and Junker. W—Bertelsen. L—Palihnich.

GAME NO. 47
Notre Dame 022 000 000—4 6 5
Ohio U 210 001 000—5 7 1
Mier and Bertling, State, Kochenderfer (1), Pentecost (4) and Wendersleben, O'Neill (9). W—DeBusschere. L—Valesquez.

GAME NO. 48
Notre Dame 030 101 010—6 10 2
Minnesota 501 000 36x—15 15 1
Palihnich, Fitzpatrick (8), Brennan (8) and Osgood, Bertelsen, Rantz (6) and Junker. W—Bertelsen. L—Palihnich.

GAME NO. 49
Notre Dame 022 000 000—4 6 5
Ohio U 210 001 000—5 7 1
Mier and Bertling, State, Kochenderfer (1), Pentecost (4) and Wendersleben, O'Neill (9). W—DeBusschere. L—Valesquez.

GAME

Bearcat Hurlers Post 2.70 ERA

CINCINNATI — A strong pitching staff played a major role in carrying the University of Cincinnati baseball team to a 12-8 record and runner-up position in the Missouri Valley Conference during the 1960 season.

The Bearcat hurlers had a combined earned run average of 2.70, an anguishing statistic to opposing batters. They fanned a total of 204 men in 163 1/3 innings and completed 13 of 20 starts.

The "Big 3" of the mound corps consisted of right-handers Carl Bouldin and Bill Faul and left-hander Carmine Lemma.

For the second straight year Bouldin led the club in won-lost percentage and in ERA. He had a 4-1 record and a 2.08 ERA.

Faul, a hard-throwing sophomore, fanned 54 in 35 innings, a sensational average of 13.9 strikeouts per game. Lemma relied primarily on a good curve to get 71 batters on strikes in the 60 innings he worked.

Faul posted a 3-1 mark and a 2.57 ERA. Lemma was 4-3 with a 2.85 ERA.

Both Faul and Lemma set a school record by striking out 19 in a single game. The former mark of 18 was set by Sandy Koufax, now of the Los Angeles Dodgers.

Faul tossed a pair of shutouts, including a 2-hitter and a 4-hitter. Three-hitters were hurled by Lemma and right-hander Ted Mills, and Bouldin had a 4-hitter to his credit.

From the offensive standpoint, the 'Cats were less ferocious. Only Lemma, who played the outfield when not on the hill, finished above .300. He batted .304 and led the team in home runs with 3.

Other regulars above .250 were Centerfielder Ken Berry at .279 and Second baseman Lynn Moore at .263. Lemma, Moore and Third sacker Dave Luppert tied for RBI honors with 13 each.

Cincinnati won only 2 of its first 6 contests, then rallied to win 10 of the next 11, including 6 in a row. The 'Cats hit a late-season slump and dropped their last 3 games. The Bearcats copped the MVC Eastern Division title with a 6-1 mark, then lost to Houston in the playoff game.

Smith Captures Pembroke Laurels

PEMBROKE, S. C. — Bill Smith edged Jim Dees for the 1960 Pembroke State batting crown. Smith compiled a .405 average, while Dees was just 3 points behind at .402.

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Mee Named MVP

ITHACA, N. Y. — Co-captain Brian Mee has been awarded a trophy as the most valuable player on the 1960 Ithaca baseball team.

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Titans Set Records

DETROIT, Mich. — The 1960 University of Detroit baseball team is the greatest in the school's history — and there are statistics to prove it.

The current Titans have won more games (17) than any other team in Detroit annals; they have compiled the highest team batting average on record (.330); they have scored more runs (184); collected more hits (239); batted in more runs (161); have collected more total bases (323); and have stolen more bases (26) than any other U-D squad in history.

Individually, senior Catcher-outfielder Bruce Maher led the record shattering with 4 new marks. The former All-America halfback has the highest batting average (.482), the most hits (41), most doubles (11) and the most RBI (37). Third baseman Frank Corej, who finished the regular season with a .429 BA, also cracked the old hit standard with 36 safeties and has driven in more

runs (29) than anyone in history except Maher.

The other third of Detroit's 'Big 3,' First baseman Glen Goode, and senior Centerfielder Dick Daguanno both cracked the 'most runs' mark with 27 each. Maher with 23 also is above the old record as are Second baseman Paul Bibeau (25) and Shortstop Jerry Buchel (22). Goode also broke the hit standard with 31 and the RBI mark with 24. Buchel set a new mark for most bases on balls (27) breaking his own record of 26 set last year.

The 'Big 3' also set total bases records with Maher's 61 on top. Corej followed with 52 and Goode had 40.

On the defensive, the pitchers also had their share in the record revision. Collectively, they held the opposition to just 2.14 earned runs per 9 innings and sophomore basketball All-American Dave DeBusschere set a new strikeout mark of 58 in 56 1/3 innings pitch-

ed. DeBusschere, who shared the tough assignments with junior lefthander Gary Mettie, has a 1.92 ERA while Mettie's stands at 1.80, over 40 innings. Sophomore righthander Ed Mier led the team in won-lost percentage, earning 4 victories without a setback. Mier's ERA was 2.13. Relief pitcher Dan Osinski, also a sophomore, led the club in ERA with 1.52 over 23 2/3 innings, mostly in relief.

Six of the 8 regular starters hit better than .300 and, except for Daguanno and Maher, all are sophomores and will return next year. All 6 pitchers who saw action this spring are also underclassmen and are expected back. Mettie and Wright will be seniors next year, while the other 4 are all sophomores.

Coach Lloyd Brazil, a football All-American in his playing days at Detroit, is now in his 15th season as head baseball coach of the Titans.

Mutert Dominates Rollins Statistics

WINTER PARK, Fla. — Freshman Catcher Carl Mutert had a monopoly on Rollins' batting leadership this year.

Mutert led the team with a .345 average and was also tops with 7 homers and 21 runs-batted-in. The youngster has signed a bonus contract with Philadelphia.

Other .300 hitters were Mabry Manderson, .333, and Mike Pohlman, .316.

Senior Bunky Davis led the pitching staff with a 6-2 mark and a 2.80 ERA.

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Editorial Comment

The Men Who Built The Series

This is the 14th annual World Series of College Baseball—an event that has become a classic on the collegiate sports scene.

It compares with the Rose Bowl in college football, the NCAA championship finals in basketball.

The College World Series of Baseball has become a great sports event because of the work of a number of people who devote much of their time and energy to the project.

Perhaps the real start of the College World Series when California and its now retired coach, Clint Evans, began tours into the mid-west. Clint felt the trouble with college baseball was that it was too sectionalized. He thought teams should have cross-country schedules and perhaps there ought to be a nation-wide, tournament, too.

In the early days of the College World Series it was Frank McCormick who worked to build it into a strong championship event.

Then there were men like Everett Barnes of Colgate, John Kobs of Michigan State, A. J. Lewandowski of Nebraska and J. Kyle Anderson of the University of Chicago—all worked to build the tournament and today are still very active.

The NCAA has given the College World Series a great boost through the work of Executive director Walt Byers' office and his hard-working aide, Wayne Duke.

At this 14th College World Series, COLLEGIATE BASEBALL salutes these men who have given us a great sports spectacle. And COLLEGIATE BASEBALL also salutes Omaha for its long sponsorship of the tournament and Omaha's veteran World Series chairman, Ed Pettis.

The College World Series will continue to grow in stature, not only because it is a sports 'natural,' but because devoted people stand behind the tournament.

The Second Base Coach

By J. F. McKALE

June is the month of wonder and worry. This is the 11th straight year the College World Series have been played at Omaha. (Or as a prominent TV announcer might say: "It's the eleventh, consecutive, straight year in a row.") All in all it has been a pleasant experience. Omaha's contract expires this year, and we presume that the AACBC and the Omaha authorities are guessing as to what will happen in '61.

Eight college coaches with their teams at Omaha for the College World Series are wondering and worrying whether or not they will be here when the final game is played. Each of about 25 college baseball players are bothered about the size of their bonus. They think they are ready for the big time. Other college graduates are happy to work their way up in a big corporation. Many of these players think they are ready now, and resent the idea of being in a bus league. There will be no college graduate appointed as first assistant to the presidents of U. S. Steel or General Motors.

All kinds and classes of "pro" and amateur baseball are played with the idea of the possible repercussions which might affect them because of the U-2 incident. Big Football is harrassed by the new football league, and Big Baseball is chilled by the Continental League and the Kefauver bill.

About 35 baseball scouts present are wondering and worrying as to which one will be successful in picking up the most promising collegians. Naturally, their own organizations offer the best opportunities. The different lines of persuasion which they offer would make a great article for any national magazine.

The colleges are wondering and worrying if it isn't about time to have college baseball a part of the summer school program. This project does not appear too far away. It might take the place of minor league baseball.

By City Of Omaha

Reassurance Sought

By WALLY PROVOST
Sports Editor, Omaha World-Herald

Often delighted, sometimes uneasy but never bored in its role as landlord to the College World Series, Omaha is proud to welcome the nation's finest amateur baseball teams for the 11th consecutive year.

Why should Omaha ever be uneasy regarding the College World Series?

Because there have been annual rumblings that the splendid attraction is about to pull stakes — St. Paul wants the Series for its centennial; Tucson is a great college baseball town; Los Angeles promises "big league" promotion.

The fan who hears these apparent threats is likely to feel he is being pushed. That's unfortunate because pushing breeds resentment.

And the best of college baseball is good enough to be packaged and sold on its merits.

Last year's championship tournament here, best ever in over-all caliber of play, merited attendance of better than 33,000. That represented an increase of nearly 7,000 over the 1958 total — strong evidence that Omaha never will take the College World Series for granted.

Omaha offers warmth, sincerity and enthusiasm, not to mention the economy of central location and the choicest beefsteaks in America!

We cherish our friendships with the John Kobs, the Kyle Andersons, the Rod Dedeauxs and the athletes who come to give their best.

We also crave reassurance that, after 11 years, the College World Series is convinced it has found a home.

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Tar Heels Take District 3 Crown

By Bill Glance

GASTONIA, N.C.—The University of North Carolina, favored to do the job all along, defeated the University of Florida, 7-5, for the NCAA District 3 championship and the trip to the College World Series.

The District 3 tournament was completed at 1:30 a.m. Tuesday after 5 days of interruption by rain.

The Tar Heels were undefeated in the playoff, pushing their winning streak to 14 games, as they toppled Florida on a fog-shrouded field in the finale. Earlier in the day Monday North Carolina had rapped The Citadel, 13-1, and then Florida ousted the Southern Conference champs in a 4-1 game.

Earlier in the tourney North Carolina had defeated Florida Southern, 2-1.

NC Coach Wally Rabb had used his ace hurler Wayne Young in defeating The Citadel in the first game Monday and then had to call on 5 hurlers to subdue Florida in the finale. Florida took a 3-2 lead in the third inning, but the Tar Heels scored 3 more in the fourth and 2 in the fifth to put the game away.

Young was selected the outstanding pitcher of the tourney; Ferg Norton of North Carolina, the outstanding infielder; Florida's Perry McGriff the outstanding outfielder; and Jerry Buchanan of The Citadel won the playoff's batting trophy with 6 hits in 12 trips.

(FIRST GAME)
The Citadel 400 000— 4 7 2
Florida 101 000— 2 5 4
Almes and Toni, Oestricher, Pent (2) and Bocher. L—Oestricher. HR—Sharpe (6).
(SECOND GAME)
North Carolina 000 200 000— 2 5 1
Florida Southern 000 100 000— 1 4 0
Young and Crump; Hollenberg and Mack.
(THIRD GAME)
Florida 010 112— 5 6 0
Florida Southern 000 000— 0 3 1
McCreary and Bocher, Goldsby, Anderson (6) and Mack, Gutierrez (6). HR—Overcash, McCreary (F).
(FOURTH GAME)
North Carolina 320 060 002— 13 15 1
The Citadel 000 000 010— 1 9 1
Young and Crump; Almes and Toni.

(FIFTH GAME)
Florida 200 000 020— 4 11 1
The Citadel 100 000 000— 1 3 2
Young, Pent (7) and Bocher; Layton and Toni.
(SIXTH GAME)
Florida 003 002 000— 5 11 3
North Carolina 200 320 000— 7 7 2
Smith, McCreary (3) and Bocher; Warren, Hammert (2), Stott (3), Beaton (6), Rees (7) and Crump.

(SEVENTH GAME)
Holy Cross 040 010 000— 5 7 2
American International 000 000 100— 1 7 3
Malinowski and Allen, Cuneo, Weiler (6) and Lafayette.
(EIGHTH GAME)
Holy Cross 102 000 001— 4 12 3
Boston College 000 030 011— 5 10 0
Szaligis, Malinowski (5) and Allen, Niemiec and Vertullo.

Eagles Clip Crusaders In District 1

Kilroy's Pinch Single Provides 5-4 Victory

By BILL NEWELL

SPRINGFIELD, Mass.—Bernard Kilroy came off the bench in the ninth inning to deliver a key single and give Boston College a 5-4 win over Holy Cross in the finals of District 1 play-off action.

Kilroy's hit sent Catcher Nick Vertullo scampering home from third, and brought Coach Eddie Pellegrini, a former major leaguer, his first trip to the College World Series.

The game was played before a crowd of more than 1,000 persons on the field of American International, another playoff participant.

AIC had been ousted in first round play as Holy Cross Pitcher Gene Malinowski boosted his season's record to 8-0 with a 5-1 victory. The other big factor in this game was Ken Komodzinski's 3-run homer in the second game.

Boston College, kingpin of the Greater Boston League, squeezed by defending District 1 champion Connecticut, 2-1, in its opener.

Bill Robinson, a junior from Stratford, Conn., upset his home-state university, with a route-going performance.

Connecticut managed 6 hits, but couldn't bunch any and, in fact, scored only in the first inning on an error.

(FIRST GAME)
Boston College 110 000 000— 2 6 1
Connecticut 100 000 000— 1 6 3
Robinson and Dailey, Sheldon, Clement (3) and Kopp.

(SECOND GAME)
Holy Cross 040 010 000— 5 7 2
American International 000 000 100— 1 7 3
Malinowski and Allen, Cuneo, Weiler (6) and Lafayette.

(THIRD GAME)
Holy Cross 102 000 001— 4 12 3
Boston College 000 030 011— 5 10 0
Szaligis, Malinowski (5) and Allen, Niemiec and Vertullo.

Colorado State Rallies To Win

SALT LAKE CITY — Defeated by the skyrocketing score of 24-3 in the opening game, Colorado State College came back to defeat Utah, 3-2 and 6-2, to win the District 7 playoff and the trip to Omaha.

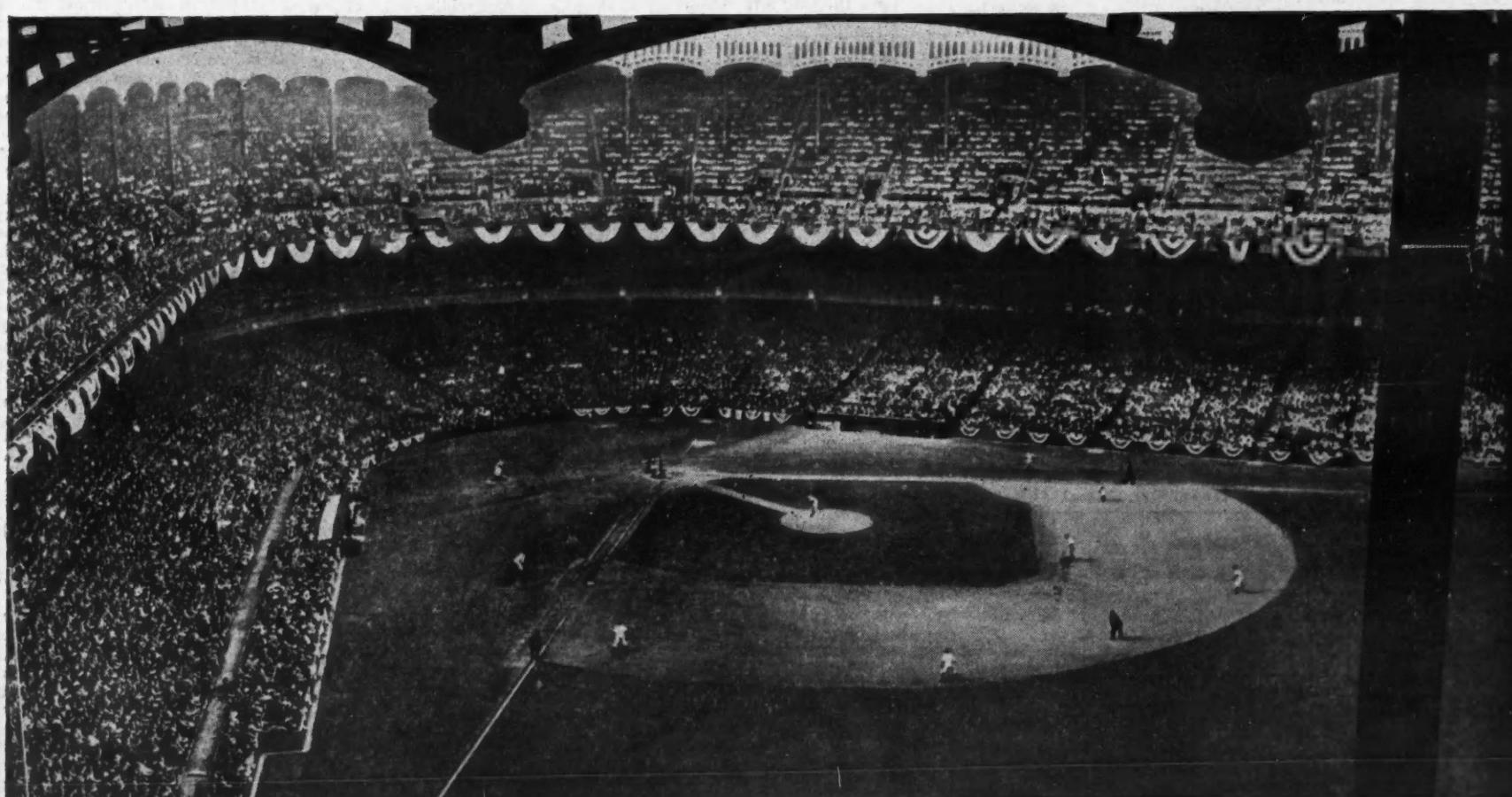
This marks the fourth straight trip to Omaha for Pete Butler's Bears, and it took a miraculous comeback this time.

Utah had scored 13 runs in the second inning to wallop Colorado State College in the first game last Monday by a 24-3 margin. The Utes had 26 hits in the onslaught.

FIRST GAME
Utah 0 (13) 1 2055 30x—24 26 3

Colo. St. College 200 000 100— 3 5 5
Maglia, Duca (6) and Groninger; Lambourne, Parry (5) and Lovat. W—Lambourne. L—Maglia. HR—Utah, Cowan, Viera.
SECOND GAME
Utah 100 000 010— 2 4 2
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Ancell and Lovat; Herrick and Dukes.
THIRD GAME
Colo. St. College 113 100 000— 6 13 0
Utah 010 001 000— 2 6 3
Carbojal, Carlos (9) and Groninger; Lambourne and Lovat. HR—Col. St. State—Kochier and Preisendorf.

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Arizona Defeats Houston Cougars

TUCSON, Ariz. — The University of Arizona set a national record by gaining its 11th consecutive berth in the NCAA sixth district playoff and the Wildcats followed their advantage by winning the tourney and moving into the College World Series.

Arizona won the district playoff by toppling Houston, champion

of the Missouri Valley Conference and a Cinderella ball club, by scores of 4-3 and 6-4. The 2 playoff games drew a crowd of 8,200 here.

Houston, with a record of only 11-9 for the regular season, vanquished Cincinnati for the MVC title and then went ahead to upset highly-favored Texas, 4-2, in a sudden death playoff for the right to meet Arizona.

Houston got fine pitching from Bob Peters and home runs by Bubba Wagner, nephew of former Boston Catcher Matt Batts, and Max Wilson to defeat Texas. The Longhorns had lost only 2 games all season.

At Tucson, the Arizona Wildcats got out in front in both games and then had to knock down ninth inning rallies by the hustling Cougars. Arizona had built up a 4-1 lead behind the pitching of Jim Ward in the first game, but Gus Zeller had to come in to halt a Houston rally in the ninth. In the second game Gordon Bergthold had the Cougars down, 6-2, when he developed elbow trouble. Zeller came in again in relief and gave up 2 runs in the ninth before stopping Houston.

For Arizona, which now has a 41-7 season's record — the best in the nation — this will be the third consecutive trip to Omaha. Last year the Wildcats finished second in the College World Series to Oklahoma State.

The District 6 playoff line-scores:

Houston	000 300 001-4	7 0
Texas	001 000 100-2	8 0
Peters, J. Wilson (7) and Wagner; Belcher, Calloway (4) and Mayer, Kristinik.		
W-Peters; L-Belcher, HR-Wagner, M. Wilson, Houston.		
Houston	000 000 102-3	8 3
Arizona	012 010 00x-4	8 0
J. Wilson, Stenestreet (4) and Wagner; W-Ward; L-J. Wilson, HR-Wagner, Houston.		
Houston	000 110 002-4	6 1
Arizona	211 001 01x-6	8 2
Thomson, Marke (4), Peters (5), J. Wilson (8) and Wagner; Bergthold, Zeller (8) and Hall. W-Bergthold; L-Thomson.		

Todhunter, Orton Pace Valparaiso

VALPARAISO, Ind. — Jack Todhunter's .391 and Tom Orton's .370 paced Valparaiso to a 9-4 baseball record during 1960.

The Crusaders of Coach Emory Bauer received sparkling pitching from Barry Bruckner, who won 6, lost 1 and posted a 1.32 earned run average. Dick Gozon was 3-1 and 3.55.

UCS Television Plans Given Veto

LOS ANGELES — Plans for televising the recent NCAA regional baseball play-offs over KTTV between USC and Pepperdine were nixed by the NCAA, Athletic Director Jess Hill of USC told an unhappy Southland population.

According to Hill, tentative arrangements had been made with the NCAA, but a ruling by Walter Byers, executive director of the NCAA, declared the Trojans ineligible for the telecast.

"Under the terms of our probation, which will end early next January, all athletic teams at USC — although eligible to compete for national championships — are prohibited from appearing on national or regional television of athletic events controlled and under the jurisdiction of the NCAA," Hill explained.

Washington Wins Seattle Tournament

By JOHN OWEN

SEATTLE — The Washington Huskies is a hardy animal. It had to be to survive the recent Seattle Collegiate Baseball tournament here.

Originally scheduled to run 3 days, the tournament was extended to 8 days because of frequent and heavy rainfall.

Washington and Seattle U. both swept to victory in their first 2 games. The Huskies whipped St. Martin's, 10-5, and downed Seattle Pacific, 7-2, while SU's Chieftains beat SPC, 3-2, and shut out St. Martin's, 12-0.

Seattle University jumped off to a 6-0 lead in the championship game, but Washington struck back for a run in the fourth, 2 more in the fifth and then another single tally in the sixth.

SU Coach Eddie O'Brien, a former Chieftain basketball great and later an infielder in the Pittsburgh organization, called on his ace hurler, Rudy D'Amico, to stop the Huskies. But Washington narrowed the count to 6-5 in the seventh and won it in the ninth when Husky Fred Hilpert delivered a 2-run double.

NORTH COUNTRY NOTES — Linfield College repeated as Northwest Conference baseball champion, wrapping up the pennant with a 3-2 and 10-0 double-header sweep over Willamette ... Oregon State's Larry Peterson captured the Northern Division batting title, spanking the ball at a .420 clip to edge out Washington State's Arne Pleasant (.390) and Marv Marchbanks (.389).

Southern Cal Wins Playoff

By GEORGE WATSON

LOS ANGELES — Southern California's Trojans swept a twin bill from the Washington State Cougars to take 2-out-of-3 and nail down the District 8 playoff title and earn a berth in the NCAA finals at Omaha.

After losing the opener to the Cougars, 8-7, Rod Dedeaux's Trojans roared back to win the series by scores of 8-3 and 10-5 at Boward Field.

Aiding the SC cause was Flyhawk Bob Livingston, who socked a 2-run homer in the Trojans, 8-3 win and then singled home a pair in the 10-5 triumph. Catcher Bill Heath homered with none on board in the final contest.

Washington State, even though losing, out-homered SC in the series, 4-2. First sacker Paul Thominson hit a grand-slammer in the opener. Flyhawk Pat Crook connected for a 3-run homer in the second contest and Outfielder Arnold Pleasant and Shortstop Gary Wyche contributed home runs in the finale with none aboard.

WSC's Dick Monte was the winner in the first game in relief, but suffered the loss in the championship contest. Marcel Lachemann, who relieved Bruce Gardner, was the loser for the Trojans in the opening tussle.

USC had advanced to the final north-south playoff by defeating Pepperdine twice by identical 10-3 scores. Pepperdine of Los Angeles saw its defenses fall apart at the seams.

The Trojans added home runs to the Pepperdine errors for the double victory. Gardner, who was lifted in the Washington State opener, was also chased by Pepperdine. Gardner, however, has one of the best records in the nation with 15-0.

In the Washington State series, scouts attended the game in droves to watch Washington's great sophomore shortstop, Gary Wyche. He's already been offered \$50,000 to sign.

Washington State Coach Buck Bailey almost gave himself a weding present. The veteran 64-year-old coach was married a day after the USC playoff.

He was flown north by jet to marry Mrs. Francis Hamilton.

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Hahn, Bolingbroke (1), Monte (8) and Heath.		
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SEASON'S RECORD — 13 wins, 4 losses.

PLAYOFF RECORD — Defeated Connecticut and Holy Cross for District 1 championship.

LEADING HITTERS — John Coyle, .342; Bill Unis, .340; Bob Martin, .399.

LEADING PITCHERS — Bob Niemiec (4-2), Bill Robinson (3-1), Charlie Bunker (3-0).

PREVIOUS TOURNAMENT RECORD: In Series 1 year. Won 2 games, lost 2.



TOBY GREENE
OKLAHOMA STATE
Stillwater, Okla.

SEASON'S RECORD — 15 wins, 5 losses.

PLAYOFF RECORD — Selected by special committee as District 5 champion.

LEADING HITTERS — Bruce Andrew, .281; Ben Bancroft, .275; Ray Bond, .276.

LEADING PITCHERS — Dick Soergel (6-2), George Scott (5-1), Bill Burgess (2-0).

PREVIOUS TOURNAMENT RECORD — In World Series 5 years, won 11 games, lost 9. Won national championship in 1959.



FRANK SANCTE

ARIZONA

Tucson, Arizona
SEASON'S RECORD — 41 wins, 7 losses.

PLAYOFF RECORD — Defeated Houston in 2 straight games for District 6 championship.

LEADING HITTERS — Alan Hall, .404; Bill Barraclough, .363; Charles Shoemaker, .361.

LEADING PITCHERS — Jim Ward (11-1), Gordon Bergthold (7-1).

PREVIOUS TOURNAMENT RECORD — In World Series 5 years, won 10 games, lost 10. Runner-up to Minnesota in 1956 and Oklahoma State in 1958.



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ST. JOHN'S UNIVERSITY
Jamaica, N. Y.

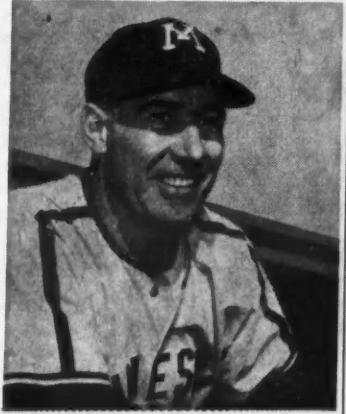
SEASON'S RECORD — 19 wins, 5 losses.

PLAYOFF RECORD — Defeated Villanova and Delaware for District 2 championship.

LEADING HITTERS — Bill Merz, .393; Tony Milano, .361; Frank Ciraulo, .313.

LEADING PITCHERS — Pat Gannon (7-0), Frank Franceschini (3-4).

PREVIOUS TOURNAMENT RECORD — In World Series 1 year, won 2 games, lost 2.



DICK SIEBERT

MINNESOTA

Minneapolis, Minn.

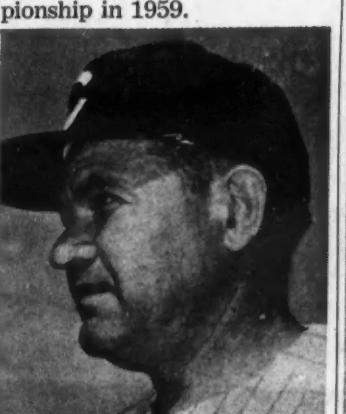
SEASON'S RECORD — 29 wins, 6 losses.

PLAYOFF RECORD — Defeated Notre Dame and Detroit for District 4 championship.

LEADING HITTERS — Howard Nathe, .417; Wayne Knapp, .367; Richard Alford, .358.

LEADING PITCHERS — Larry Bertelsen (7-0), Clyde Nelson (5-1), Howard Nathe (4-2).

PREVIOUS TOURNAMENT RECORD — In World Series 1 year, won 5 games, lost 1. Won national championship in 1956.



PETE BUTLER

COLORADO STATE
COLLEGE

Greeley, Colorado

SEASON'S RECORD — 25 wins, 10 losses.

PLAYOFF RECORD — Defeated Utah in 2-out-of-3 series for District 7 championship.

LEADING HITTERS — John Koehler, .462; Jim Lochner, .434; John Groninger, .420.

LEADING PITCHERS — Frank Carbajal (6-0), Ernie Andrade (6-1), Gerald Maglia (3-0).

PREVIOUS TOURNAMENT RECORD — In World Series 7 years. Won 3 games, lost 14.



WALTER RABB

NORTH CAROLINA

Chapel Hill, N.C.

SEASON'S RECORD — 22 wins, 5 losses.

PLAYOFF RECORD — Defeated Florida Southern, The Citadel and Florida for District 3 championship.

LEADING HITTERS — John Burgwyn, .425; Ferg Norton, .307; Gerald Griffin, .300.

LEADING PITCHERS — Wayne Young (9-3), Nick Warren (3-0), Bob Deaton (3-0).

PREVIOUS TOURNAMENT RECORD — In World Series 1 year. Won 1 game, lost 2.



RAOUL DEDEAUX

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

Los Angeles, Calif.

SEASON'S RECORD — 35 wins, 12 losses.

PLAYOFF RECORD — Defeated Pepperdine 2 straight and Washington State 2-out-of-3 for District 8 championship.

LEADING HITTERS — Art Ersepke, .339; Tom Satriano, .327; Bob Livingston, .325.

LEADING PITCHERS — Bruce Gardner (15-0), Jim Withers (8-6), Larry Hanckamer (3-0).

PREVIOUS TOURNAMENT RECORD — In World Series 6 years, won 17 games, lost 11. Won national championship in 1948 and 1958.

Arizona, Texas Dominate All-District Team

DALLAS — Champion Arizona dominates the 1960 NCAA District Six All-Star baseball team with 4 players on the first team and 2 more on the second team.

The All-Star team was released by Alex Hooks, Southern Methodist University baseball coach and chairman of the district selection committee.

Texas placed 3 players on the first team and 2 on the second.

Arizona players on the first team are Alan Hall, catcher; Chuck Shoemaker, second base; Bill Barraclough, center field

and Gordon Bergthold, pitcher. The district committee also selected as its top choices for All-American honors Hall, Shoemaker and Wayne McDonald, outfielder for the University of Texas.

Named to the second team from Arizona were Tom Celli, left fielder and Jim Ward, pitcher.

Arizona State University won its first All-Star selections in baseball with second team picks in John Jacobs, first base and John Regoli, third base.

Here are the 1960 District Six All-Star baseball selections:

FIRST TEAM — C — Alan Hall, Arizona, .404; P — Gordon Bergthold, Arizona, 7-1 and 1.66 ERA, and Bob Peters, Houston, 4-3 and 1.29 ERA. 1B — Nick Browndyke, SMU, .342 2B — Charles Shoemaker, Arizona, .361. SS — Bart Shirley, Texas, .351. 3B — Jim Williams, SMU, .385. OF — Bill Barraclough, Arizona, .363; Wayne McDonald, Texas, .356, and Roy Menge, Texas, .351.

SECOND TEAM — C — Doug Moore, TCU. P — Wim Ward, Arizona (11-1) and Tom Belcher (7-1), Texas. 1B — John Jacobs, Arizona State. 2B —

Jerry Funk, Baylor. SS — Bucky Watkins, Houston. 3B — John Regoli, Arizona State. OF — Jay Arnette, Texas; Tom Celli, Arizona and Bob Lively, Rice.

HONORABLE MENTION — SS — Roger Tomlinson, Arizona State; George Banda, TCU and Gary LaFever, Arizona. 3B — Dick Kristinik, Rice. OF — Byron Barber, Texas A&M, Glynn Gregory, SMU and Ted Uhlender, Baylor. P — Roger Barnson, Arizona State; Jim Brock, Rice; Jerry Springer, Rice; and Jim Geist and Miles Zeller both of Arizona.

Take Over Cowboy's Top Spot

TUCSON, Ariz. — Powerful Minnesota, the Big 10 and District 4 champion, moved into the No. 1 spot in COLLEGIATE BASEBALL's national rating poll for the first time this season.

The Golden Gophers, coached by ex-major leaguer Dick Siebert, won the top position by a scant 5 points over Oklahoma State, which held No. 1 in the last 2 polls.

Oklahoma State (15-5) rolled up the most first place votes, but the ground swell for Minnesota in total balloting gave the midwesterners 290 points to the Cowboys' 285.

Minnesota won 29 of 35 games before entering the College World Series.

But Minnesota and Oklahoma State weren't locked in a 2-way race.

The University of Southern California, finishing with a 35-12 record, was a close third, only 2

TUCSON — Here are the nation's top teams as chosen by COLLEGIATE BASEBALL and the American Assn. of College Baseball Coaches:

THE FIRST 10

1. Minnesota, 29-6 (12)	290
2. Okla. State, 15-5 (17)	285
3. So. California, 35-12 (5)	283
4. Arizona, 41-7 (1)	223
5. Mississippi, 22-3 (1)	185
6. North Carolina, 22-5	184
7. Arizona State, 39-13	163
8. Texas, 21-3 (1)	142
9. Washington State, 20-4	121
10. Detroit, 17-7	110

THE SECOND 10

11. Southern U, 21-3	98
12. Pepperdine, 33-12	93
13. California, 26-13-1	81
14. Ohio, 18-5	77
15. Notre Dame, 19-7	74
16. S. Houston State, 21-9	68
17. The Citadel, 18-6	52
18. St. John's, 195	41
19. Boston College 13-4	29
20. Colo. St. College 25-10	18

Others: Houston, Holy Cross, University of Utah, Hofstra, Iowa State, Omaha, Delaware, Ohio State, San Diego State, San Jose State, Army, Fresno State, Allen University, Sul Ross, Miami (Fla.), Los Angeles State, Louisiana Tech, Springfield, Colby, American International, Villanova, Colgate, Florida, Southern, Florida, Wittenberg, Texas Lutheran.

points behind Oklahoma State, USC boosted its record by defeating Washington State 2-out-of-3 in the District 8 playoff.

The University of Arizona moved up in the poll to fourth place. The Wildcats won the District 6 championship and carry a 41-7 record into the World Series.

Mississippi, the Southeastern Conference champion, is in the No. 5 position although it has completed its season and turned down a bid to the District 3 playoff and possibly the World Series because of home-state racial restrictions.

Texas dropped from 3rd to 8th in the poll after being upset by Houston in a single-game sudden-death District 6 playoff. Texas still finished with a fine 21-3 record.

Valpo Ace Signs \$25,000 Contract

VAPARAIISO, Ind. — Tom Orton, possibly the finest baseball player ever to play for Valparaiso university, ended a seven-year quest of major league baseball teams when he signed with the Detroit Tigers.

The hard-hitting 6-2, 190-pound catcher, who received his first bonus offer seven years ago when a sophomore in high school, signed for a reported \$25,000.

Defending Champs Hail Pitchers

Individual Marks

Most Times at Bat

7, equalled by numerous players

Most Hits

5, SS Jim Shamblin, Texas (10) vs. Wake Forest (3), 6-25-49
 5, LF John Turco, Holy Cross (15) vs. Penn State (4), 6-15-52
 5, LF Doug Kingsmore, Clemson (11) vs. Virginia Tech (10), 5-22-54
 5, LF Larry Buchanan, Western Michigan (24) vs. Valparaiso (2), 5-29-58
 5, 1B Charles Rodgers, Florida State (5) vs. Clemson (8), 6-7-58, (10 inn.)
 5 C Bill Westendick, Florida State (16) vs. Georgia Tech (9), 6-9-59
 5, P Ty Cline, Clemson (24) vs. Florida State (2), 6-5-59

Most Runs

5, 2B Jerry White, Fresno State (23) vs. Santa Clara (11), 6-1-59
 5, C Bill Westendick, Florida State (16) vs. Georgia Tech (9), 6-9-59

Most Doubles

6-14-55
 3, 1B Jerry Good, Texas (14) vs. Arizona (3), 6-5-58
 3, 1B Paul Mohr, Texas (12) vs. Oklahoma A&M (16), 6-2-54
 3, 2B Jack Bryant, Wake Forest (10) vs. Western Michigan (7),

Most Triples

2, P Frank Copeland, Baylor (13) vs. Colorado State (4), 6-17-48
 2, C Pete Naton, Holy Cross (15) vs. Western Michigan (3), 6-15-52
 2, SS Bob Jingling, Wyoming (9) vs. Arizona (16), 6-5-54

Most Home Runs

2, LF Mark Workman, USC (16) vs. Baylor (3), 6-19-48
 2, 3B Dave Cunningham, Utah (15) vs. Texas A&M (8), 6-15-51
 2, LF Dick Porter, Colorado State (21) vs. Wyoming (14), 6-5-54
 2, P Carl Thomas, Arizona (12) vs. Oregon (1), 6-10-54
 2, RF Gerry Mason, USC (11) vs. Fresno State (2), 6-4-55
 2, RF Don Gile, Arizona (4) vs. Okla. A&M (5), 6-14-55 (12 inn.)
 2, 3B Craig Sorenson, Arizona (7) vs. TCU (5), 5-21-56
 2, LF Charlie Smith, Florida (14) vs. Clemson (15), 6-9-58
 2, CF Jim O'Rourke, Santa Clara (11) vs. Fresno State (23), 6-1-59

Most Total Bases

11, C Pete Naton, Holy Cross (15) vs. Western Mich. (3), 6-15-52, (1 single, 2 triples, 1 home run)
 11, LF Dick Porter, Colorado State (21) vs. Wyoming (14), 6-5-54, (1 triple, 2 home runs)
 11, CF Jim O'Rourke, Santa Clara (11) vs. Fresno State (23), (6-1-59, (1 triple, 2 home runs)

Most Runs Batted In

8, LF Larry Buchanan, Western Michigan (24) vs. Valparaiso (2), 5-29-58

Most Stolen Bases

3, equalled by numerous players

Most Putouts

19, C Larry Klumb, Colo. State (5) vs. Denver (3), 6-3-57 (13 inn.)

Most Assists

10, SS Gary Thompson, Iowa State (2) vs. Bradley (0), 5-31-55

Most Errors

5, SS Guy Tirabassi, Penn State (4) vs. Colgate (7), 6-3-55

Most Innings Pitched

13, John Hogg, Colorado State (5) vs. Denver (3), 6-3-57, (13 inn.)
 12, Tom Borland, Okla. A&M (5) vs. Arizona (4), 6-14-55, (12 inn.)

Most Strikeouts

18, John Hogg, Colorado State (5) vs. Denver (3), 6-3-57 (13 inn.)
 18, Walter Judd, Ithaca (5) vs. Lafayette (0), 6-3-55
 17, Harold Stowe, Clemson (3) vs. Florida (1), 6-9-58
 16, Harold Stowe, Clemson (2) vs. Arizona (3), 6-13-59 (12 inn.)
 15, Frank Quinn, Yale (6) vs. North Carolina (1), 6-17-48
 15, Carl Thomas, Arizona (6) vs. Springfield (0), 6-12-55
 15, Carl Thomas, Arizona (10) vs. Minnesota (4), 6-13-56

Most Bases on Balls

17, John Hogg, Colorado State (7) vs. Wyoming (13), 6-4-55
 Fewest Hits (Complete Game)

0, Jim Ehrler, Texas (7) vs. Tufts (0), 6-19-50
 1, Nino Barnise, California (3) vs. Denver (1), 6-20-47
 1, Rod Keogh, Wash. State (3) vs. Rutgers (1), 6-19-50, (10 inn.)
 1, Jackie Lonergan, Holy Cross (0) vs. Missouri (1), 6-13-52
 1, Walter Judd, Ithaca (5) vs. Lafayette (0), 6-3-55
 1, Cecil Burford, Mississippi (3) vs. Tennessee Tech (2), 6-2-56

The Previous Winners

OMAHA—The 1960 College World Series is No. 14 in a line of collegiate baseball classics that began in 1947 in Kalamazoo, Mich.

These are the College World Series champions (championship game scores listed in parenthesis):

Year	Site	Champion	Runner-Up
1947	Kalamazoo, Mich.	California (8-7)	Yale
1948	Kalamazoo, Mich.	USC (9-2)	Yale
1949	Wichita, Kan.	Texas (10-3)	Wake Forest
1950	Omaha, Neb.	Texas (3-0)	Wash. State
1951	Omaha, Neb.	Oklahoma (3-2)	Tennessee
1952	Omaha, Neb.	Holy Cross (8-4)	Missouri
1953	Omaha, Neb.	Michigan (7-5)	Texas
1954	Omaha, Neb.	Missouri (4-1)	Rollins
1955	Omaha, Neb.	Wake Forest (7-6)	WMU
1956	Omaha, Neb.	Minnesota (12-1)	Arizona
1957	Omaha, Neb.	California (1-0)	Penn State
1958	Omaha, Neb.	USC (8-7, 12)	Missouri
1959	Omaha, Neb.	Oklahoma St. (5-3)	Arizona



Kathy Moran, a pretty junior at Duchesne College, is the 1960 College World Series Queen. She was selected by the sportswriters and sportscasters of Omaha from a field of 9 contestants. Each of the 9 girls is from an Omaha college or university or a hospital school of nursing.

Team Series Records

Most Times at Bat

50, Holy Cross (15) vs. Penn State (4), 6-15-52
 50, Oklahoma A&M (5) vs. Arizona (4), 6-12-54 (14 inn.)
 50, Denver (3) vs. Colorado State (5), 6-3-57 (13 inn.)
 50, Western Michigan (24) vs. Valparaiso (2), 5-29-58

Most Times at Bat, Both Teams

88, Clemson (15R-44AB) vs. Florida (14R-44AB), 6-9-58

Most Hits

24, Fresno State (23) vs. Santa Clara (11), 6-1-59

Most Hits, Both Teams

37, Fresno State (23R, 24H) vs. Santa Clara (11R, 13H), 6-1-59

Most Runs

24, Western Michigan vs. Valparaiso (2), 5-29-58

24, Clemson vs. Florida State (2), 6-5-59

Most Runs, Both Teams

35, Colorado State (21) vs. Wyoming (14), 6-5-54

Most Runs, One Inning

11, California (17) vs. Yale (4), 6-27-47

Most Doubles

6, Duke (18) vs. Oregon State (7), 6-12-52

6, Wyoming (6) vs. Colorado State (17), 6-2-55

Most Triples

4, Northwestern (10) vs. Western Mich. (9), 5-30-57 (10 inn.)

4, Holy Cross (15) vs. Western Michigan (3), 6-15-52

Most Home Runs

5, Colorado State (21) vs. Wyoming (14), 6-5-54

Most Total Bases

40, Fresno State (23) vs. Santa Clara (11), 6-1-59

(16 singles, 3 doubles, 2 triples, 3 home runs)

Most Total Bases, Both Teams

63, Fresno State (23R, 40TB) vs. Santa Clara (11R, 23TB), 6-1-59

Most Stolen Bases

7, Rutgers (2) vs. Texas (4), 6-15-50

7, Wake Forest (10) vs. Western Michigan (7), 6-14-55

Most Errors

9, Clemson (10) vs. Virginia Tech (11), 5-22-54

9, Penn State (4) vs. Colgate (7), 6-3-55

9, Colorado State (0) vs. Arizona (20), 6-13-55

Most Errors, Both Teams

12, Lafayette (9R-8E) vs. Illinois (6R-4E), 6-15-48

12, Virginia Tech (11R-3E) vs. Clemson (10R-9E), 5-22-54

12, Western Michigan (15R-4E) vs. Alma (4R-8E), 5-27-55

Most Double Plays

5, USC (1) vs. Wake Forest (2), 6-24-49

5, St. John's (0) vs. Penn State (5), 5-31-57

Note: Score of game indicated in brackets.

Pokes Ride New 'Pony' To Omaha

Strong Arms Pave Road To Series

STILLWATER, Okla. — Oklahoma State's defending national champions ride into Omaha a completely different team than expected.

Many of the names are the same as last year, but a check of the records will show that Coach Toby Greene's Cowboys are riding a different horse.

When the season opened, it appeared that the Waddies would have plenty of hitting, but not enough pitching to repeat as champions of the baseball-tough Big 8 Conference.

There was only 1 pitcher back that had worked more than 7 innings the entire season. But there were all kinds of infielders, plus a couple of capable outfielders who had awesome offensive backgrounds.

Come June and the second straight trip to Omaha and Cowboy baseball followers are wondering when the hits are going to come and just how long can the pitching carry the sporadic hitting.

In winning 15 out of 20 games this spring the OSU pitching staff, mainly Dick Soergel (6-2), George Scott (5-1), Jim Wixson (1-0) and Bill Burgess (2-0), has a composite earned run average of 1.95. That's good in any league. In 18 of the 20 games, Cowboy opponents scored 4 runs, or less, and after 3 warm-up contests the hurlers finished 12 of 17 starts!

The only Poke punching the ball over the .300 mark, Outfielder Bobby Andrew (.319), isn't eligible for the tournament, so the defending champ returns to the scene of its triumph as the only team without a .300 hitting regular.

Last year's "most valuable" player in the Omaha tournament, Jim Dobson, has had his moments but on the year his .203 batting average is puny. Ben Bancroft, second team all-America last year and the team's top home run hitter in '59, has slumped to .247 and has only 2 four-baggers.

State started fast by sweeping a 3-game set at Missouri and never relinquished the lead although it staggered badly in a pennant clinching series at Iowa State at the end of the season.

Dobson Seeking MVP Honor Again

OMAHA — Oklahoma State's Jim Dobson returns to Omaha with a chance to create collegiate baseball history.

Last year, the husky, power-hitter was named Most Valuable Player in the World Series.

If he should retain the honor, he'll be the first in a line of 11 MVP's to do so.

Here's a list of the men who turned in the best performances in previous World Series action.

1949	Charles Teague, Wake Forest.
1950	Ray Van Cleef, Rutgers.
1951	Sidney Hatfield, Tennessee.
1952	James O'Neill, Holy Cross.
1953	J. L. Smith, Texas.</

Sekula Captures NAIA Bat Title

KANSAS CITY, Mo.—New Mexico Western College finished as the top batting team and boasted the No. 1 hitter in the person of Bob Sekula, according to final National Assn. of Intercollegiate Athletics (NAIA) baseball statistics.

Sekula rapped 33 hits in 58 at bats for a .569 average while New Mexico Western showed a .343 mark for the season.

Defending NAIA champion Southern University (La.) boasted the top pitcher in Charles Gray, who posted an earned run average of 0.56 and has 65 strikeouts in 48 innings of pitching for a 12-3 mark.

Alma of Michigan showed a .956 fielding mark for the season. Lyndon State of Vermont showed the best team pitching with a 1.13 ERA. Southern was third, with a 2.01, behind Montclair State of New Jersey.

In other categories, Wes Parker of Claremont-Mudd (Calif.) batted in 49 runs to win the title, Bob Williams of Southern stole 23 bases, Bill Smrtnik of Westmont (Calif.) scored 47 runs, Sekula of New Mexico Western hit 12 doubles, Bill Smith of Pembroke (N.C.) State hit 7 triples and Bob Hammett of Pepperdine (Calif.) had 9 home runs. Cleo Harris of Pepperdine got 37 bases on balls.

Other top hitters were Carroll Bridges of Southern Illinois, second at .566, and Kerm McLemore of Southern Oregon, .511. In all, 23 hitters had .400 or better marks for the season. At least 12 games were required in the compilation.

Behind Gray, the top pitchers on ERA were John Wells of Lyndon State (0.60), Tom Younker of Linfield (Ore.) (0.94), Alton Arnold of Sam Houston State (Tex.) (1.23) and Pat Centilli of Sam Houston (1.36).

Allegheny Wins PAC Pennant

DETROIT — Although Wayne State remained unbeaten in 2 years of baseball competition in the Presidents' Athletic Conference, Allegheny won the 1960 PAC baseball championship with a fine 6-1 won-lost record.

Wayne State, winner of the crown last year with a 6-0 record, won 3 games this season in as many starts, but the Tartars were ruled out of the baseball race because they did not play at least 6 games. Doubleheaders with Allegheny and Bethany were rained out. Thiel, which finished with a 2-3 record, was also ineligible for the championship.

Western Reserve swept a doubleheader from Washington & Jefferson on the last day to finish in second place with a 4-4 record, while W. & J. had 3-4 for third place. Bethany, winless in 6 starts, finished in last place as only 4 of the 8 schools in the conference played the 6 required games. John Carroll and Case Tech do not field baseball teams.

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Sooners Thrive On Small Town Boys

NORMAN, Okla.—Jackson County, Okla., has made a name for itself in Oklahoma University baseball annals.

Pitcher Tommy Jones, a frail senior lefty, and Catcher Don Nipp a round-faced, jet-haired senior, have formed Coach Jack Baer's most reliable battery during 1960.

And there's a reason for it. The 2 have been battery mates for the past 10 years.

They started in grade school at Blair, Okla., population 800, Blair lies in the northern part of Jackson County, noted for its cotton, heat and excellent high school baseball.

Only one high school in the county plays football — Altus, the county seat.

Ten play baseball, Blair, Southside, Duke, Olustee, Warren, Martha, Eldorado, Friendship, Altus and Arnett. Nine of them

literally play it the year round in the ideal baseball climate of southwestern Oklahoma, rushing through a 20-game early fall season, a 20-game spring season, then playing 40 more American Legion games in summer, total of 80 games per year. All are small farm community towns or consolidated schools. Nearly all the players live on farms and know what hard work is.

School starts August 5 so it can let out in late September for the 5-week cotton harvest. That ends the autumn baseball season and gives basketball a break. But as soon as the grass greens up in March, the kids get out the bats and gloves again. Games are played in afternoon and crowds are big. It's a paradise for major league scouts.

"We play on open pasture diamonds with no fences," says Nipp, "so there are more home runs. The hitters shoot for left-center and right-center. Hit it there and the ball will roll a mile on that dry ground. Only 1 park in the county is lighted or has a fence, the American Legion park in Altus."

Jones and Nipp know all about that cotton harvest. Jones, a town boy now, pulls cotton in the fall and works in the gin in summer. Nipp, son of a farmer, hoes and pulls cotton and drives the tractor that hauls his father's cotton cultivator.

At Blair, the high school baseballers get only an hour of practice, from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. Then the kids head for home on the school buses. But a few slip back and practice until dark. Jones drove a school bus, then returned

for practice. Nipp practiced until almost dark, then "took off down the railroad track for home," 3½ miles from town.

A Jackson county team usually wins the University of Oklahoma's 53-year-old schoolboy baseball tournament which drew 84 schools this year and 96 last year. In the last 13 years, Jackson County teams have won the big rat-race 6 times, placed second 7 times.

"We didn't dream of winning the championship," laughs Nipp, who played on Blair's 1954 championship outfit. "We were just eating hamburgers and swinging bats. But everybody on our team liked to play. We always had more trouble with Jackson County teams than anybody else."

"Playing 6 games in 3 days is rough on pitchers," Nipp adds. "We only had 2 pitchers. Our system was never to use them until the semi-finals or finals. We'd just use a bunch of throwers, our third baseman, shortstop and an outfielder, to get 'em out in the early games."

As an illustration of how the O.U. tourney exhausts pitchers, take the Blair-Olustee game of 1954 played on Monday after Blair won the tourney. Blair won 32 to 20.

Another oddity was Blair's 1954 semi-final game with Lindsay. Blair scored 15 runs in the first. Nipp remembers that one, too. "Our third baseman made all 3 outs in that first inning. Nope, I'm not going to tell you his name."

Several Jackson county boys

have recently made the pro baseball circuit. There're Pitchers Lindy and Von McDaniel of Arnett (St. Louis Cardinals), Shortstop Bob Stevenson of Blair (St. Louis Cardinals), Pitcher Tony Risner of Southside (Tacoma, Pacific Coast League), Pitcher Eddie Fisher of Friendship (also with Tacoma this year) and Pitcher Jack Shirley of Southside (hurled for Omaha in triple A).

Stevenson, Risner, Fisher and Shirley also played for Baer at Oklahoma.



DON ALTMAN

Altman Called Best In ACC

Rated Finest Hurler Since Billy O'Dell

By MARTY HAMILTON

DURHAM, N. C. — Duke University's Blue Devils lost a 14-inning thriller to North Carolina, 6-3, for the Atlantic Coast Conference championship, but Don Altman showed some 3,500 fans the stuff that this season has established him as 1 of the loop's best pitching prospects since Clemson's Billy O'Dell.

Altman went the entire 14 frames and gave up no earned runs, and thereby finished his sophomore season, first in a Duke uniform, with an amazing ERA of .82.

The Freeport, Pa., righthander, slated to be the starting quarterback for the Duke football team next fall, pitched 87 2/3 innings, giving up 74 hits, 29 walks, and just 8 earned runs. He struck out 58 opponents.

As the mainstay of the Blue Devils, he won 6 games before losing a 4-2 decision to Clemson. In that contest he yielded just 1 earned tally.

He finished the season with an 8-2 record, making him the biggest winner in the ACC. His ERA is also tops in the league.

Altman relies mainly on his curve, but his fast ball is by no means a weak pitch. He stands 5-11 and weighs 180 pounds. Major league scouts have covered him like a blanket all spring, and have been seeking his signature on a bonus contract since his high school pitching days. He came to Duke on a football scholarship; Duke does not provide financial aid to baseball players.

Coach Ace Parker relied heavily on the sophomore this season, and the Blue Devils finished second in the ACC despite a team batting average of .206 and 36 errors in 21 games. Overall record was 13-8, and the team ERA was a measly 2.59.

Kissner, Hawkins Lead Gettysburg

GETTYSBURG, Pa. — Gettysburg (9-9) was paced this season by the hitting of Gordon Kissner (.365) and the pitching of Dick Hawkins (5-3 and 2.47).

Jeff Kahler was runner-up in the bat department for Coach Robert T. Hulton with a .314 mark. Mel Jacobs was the No. 2 hurler with 4-2 and 2.54.

Hawkins struck out a phenomenal number of 110 enemy batsmen during 73 innings on the mound. He walked just 49.

N.M. Highlands Captures Frontier Conference Flag

By EDDIE GROTH

LAS VEGAS, N. M. — Coach John Donnelly's New Mexico Highlands University baseball squad has won its second straight Frontier Conference championship.

The Cowboys dropped 3 conference opponents in Santa Fe with strong pitching and timely hitting in the 2-day affair. Highlands advanced to the semi-finals by defeating New Mexico Western College 5-1 behind the pitching of Mike Maldonado. The veteran righthander scattered 8 hits for the win while Will Fowler gave up 6, but 5 came in the big sixth inning when Highlands picked up 5 runs.

In the semi-final round, veteran Camilo Estevez limited Panhandle A & M College to 3 scratch hits and struck out 11 men to post a 4-0 shutout. Paul Orr started for Panhandle but was replaced in the fourth by Butch Edwards. Orr was charged with the loss.

Arizona State College drew a first round bye and had little trouble dropping St. Michael's College 10-1 behind the 2-hit pitching of Eddie Garcia. Arizona State scored its 10 runs on 17 hits off of John Dykacz and Ed Krok. Big stick for the winners was Catcher George

Daves who banged out 2 home runs, a double and a single in 4 trips to the plate.

Highlands had to call on 3 pitchers but got 8 hits to defeat Arizona State 8-3 and sew up the Frontier crown in the conference finals.

John Doel faced but 3 men in the first before he was replaced by Oso Balli, who hurled until the eighth frame to be credited with his second win of the season. Estevez came to Balli's aid in the eighth to snuff out an ASC rally.

Bill Johnson started on the mound for Arizona State College but gave way to Ted Sorich in the final inning. Johnson was nicked for 10 hits and was charged with the loss.

Series Telecast Planned By Payne

OMAHA — A special "Salute to the Series" show will be aired on WOW-TV here Saturday, June 11.

The quarter-hour show presented for the sixth consecutive year by sportscaster Jack Payne, starts at 11:30 a.m.

Players, coaches, scouts and the tournament queen will be interviewed by Payne.

Over 3 Seasons

Jones Averages .457

ST. LOUIS—St. Louis University's John Jones has ended his collegiate career with a booming .457 batting average.

Jones' finest season was in 1959 when he was NCAA batting champion with a .527 average. This year he led his team with a .432 mark.

Over 3 years, Jones picked up 102 hits in 223 at bats. Joining him in the .400 class this year was Jim Helein, who hit .405.

Top pitcher for the Billikins during 1960 was Larry Scherer, who had a 6-4 record and a 3.58 earned run average. Scherer appeared in 13 games and pitched 88 innings.

The St. Louis club compiled a 9-13-1 season's record.

Troy's Ersepke Wins Bat Crown

LOS ANGELES—Art Ersepke, transfer from San Francisco JC and alternating between first base and the outfield, won the batting championship of the California Intercollegiate Baseball Assn. on the final day of play with a closing average of .364.

Ersepke, a junior classman with 1 year of remaining college eligibility for the co-champion Southern California Trojans, beat out Bob Milano, catcher for the co-champion California Bears, who batted .356. Third was SC's sophomore third baseman, Tom Satriano, at .356.

These other individual titles were also won: Runs batted in—Bill Heath, SoCal, 15. Home runs—Bob Livingston, SoCal, 4. Triples—Tom Bergeron, UCLA, 3. Doubles—Tom Satriano, SoCal, 8. Hits—Satriano, 21. Runs—Satriano, 21. Stolen bases—Terry Johnson, California, 5.

In pitching, Bruce Gardner of Southern California had an unbeaten 7-0 record with a 1.83 earned-run average. Ted Settle of California was 6-1 for the year with an ERA of 2.61.

Gardner wound up with a string of 16 CIBA victories in a row over the past 3 years. His total 3-year record was 18-1 with a 2.49 ERA. This is the best record since Joe Gonzales, Southern California star in 1935-37, won 20 CIBA games in a row with an over-all 22-2.

Leading batters (Min. of 32 at-bats and 11 games):

NAME	Club	G	AB	H	Ave.
Ersepke, USC	14	44	16	20	.364
Milano, Calif.	16	42	15	357	
Satriano, USC	16	39	21	356	
Gillespie, USC	12	33	11	344	
Barnes, Calif.	16	61	20	328	
Bach, USC	15	52	17	327	
Fowler, UCLA	15	46	15	326	
Schutzman, Stanford	15	53	17	321	
Livingston, USC	14	49	15	306	
McGarvey, Calif.	13	47	14	298	
Millinich, Calif.	16	54	16	296	
Bergeron, UCLA	16	48	14	292	
Burk, Stanford	16	52	15	288	
O'Leary, UCLA	16	54	16	286	
Gene Adams, UCLA	16	52	13	283	

Southern California topped the league in team batting and fielding with averages of .268 and .957, compared to California's .261 and .953.

The Trojans were well in front for home runs with 16.

Stanford collected the most double plays, a total of 17.

League records included 18 strike outs in a game by Ted Settle of Cal; 3 consecutive home runs by Trojan batters; and 2 complete-game victories in a doubleheader by Marv Mecklenberg of Stanford. This latter feat ties a league record by Clyde Baker of SoCal in 1934.

Workman Leads Adams Indians To 14-11 Record

ALAMOSA, Colo.—Shortstop Jim Workman (.458) paced Adams State College to a 14-11 record during the 1960 season.

The Indians, coached by Lawrence (Spud) Orr, were 11-5 in Rocky Mountain Conference play and runners-up to champion Colorado State College. Four of those 5 defeats were administered by the Indians by CSC.

Other top hitters were Outfielder Jim Colbert, .402; Second baseman Rudy Duran, .382; Outfielder Doug Anderson, .349; and First baseman Bob Miller, .309.

Bill Humphrey posted the best pitching record with a 6-3 slate. Darrel Westbrook was 4-3 and Monte Denbo was 3-1.

Indiana Cops PSC Loop Crown

JOHNSTOWN, PA.—Indiana, the NAIA Dist. 20 champion, is the Pennsylvania State Colleges Conference champion.

Inclement weather forced postponements of many games during the short season and, as has been the custom with a few exceptions, no playoff dates were set for the rained-out games.

As a result, Slippery Rock could not play enough games to be considered for the title and possibly tie or outpoint Indiana in the final standings.

Indiana played the minimum of 4 games necessary for the top Saylor-ratings while canceling, because of weather, doubleheaders with Clarion, California and Slippery Rock.

West Chester, the defending champion did not play the required minimum of 4 SCC games to be rated. Slippery Rock, California and Clarion, for the same reason, are not listed in the standings as provided in the SCC constitution.

The standings:

	W	L	Pct.
Indiana	3	1	.200
Lock Haven	8	3	.196
E. Stroudsburg	4	2	.183
Millersville	6	3	.178
Kutztown	4	4	.138
Bloomsburg	6	9	.137
Mansfield	2	3	.134
Shippensburg	1	7	.08
(West Chester 2-1; Slippery Rock 2-0; Clarion 0-2; California 0-2.)			

Kent Ross' .368 Sole Bright Spot In Toledo Season

TOLEDO—Kent Ross' .368 batting average was the bright spot in an otherwise dismal Toledo season.

The Rockets were just 2-7 in Mid-American Conference action and 7-11 overall.

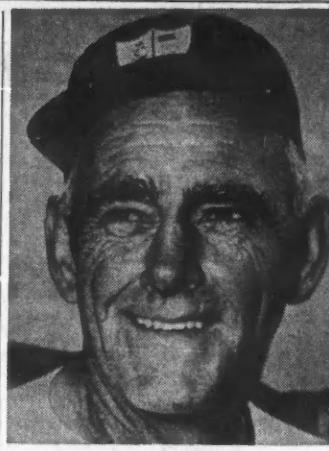
Other .300 hitters were Occie Burt, .339, and Al Misko, .319.

Arlo Spiess was the only winning pitcher with a 2-1, 3.32 ERA. Jim Bleniek, who appeared in 57 innings, had a 3-4 mark.

Thornton At Tulane

JONESBORO, Ark.—Charley Thornton, publicity director at Arkansas State College, has resigned to accept a similar job at Tulane University. Thornton replaces Larry Karl who quit to join the Dallas Cowboys organization of the National Football League.

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Rice Sets Victory Record

17 Triumphs Makes Successful Season

HOUSTON—Although falling short of the big goal to win Rice's first Southwest Conference baseball title, the 1960 campaign for the Owls was particularly successful for Coach Dell Morgan and his outfit.

Their 17-8 season record represented the most victories in 1 season in the school history, as well as the best percentage of .680. The 10-5 mark in SWC play also gave the '60 Owl squad the most league wins and top winning percentage ever while finishing in a tie for second with Baylor behind the ever formidable University of Texas.

Morgan, who has completed his eighth season as head baseball coach at Rice, has done a remarkable job in building the baseball program at the smallest school in the country, enrollment-wise, that competes respectably in all major college

Until doughty Dell came along, it was a very rare occasion for the Owls to manage a .500 season and they never were a serious title threat. But in the past 3 campaigns they've been third twice and tied for second this spring.

Among the key players who contributed to the success in '60 were:

Richard Kristnik, third team All-America third baseman last year as a sophomore and SWC batting champ, who had another good campaign as a junior. Although he lost the league batting crown this second time around, the husky product of a Houston parochial school hit .367 for the full 25-game slate, led the team in RBI with 25 (a 1-game average), total bases with 55, and had 4 home runs—all in league play.

Bobby Lively, a junior letterman outfielder who will be a Rice guard in football in the fall, was in the conference batting race down to the wire in finishing second with .412 and was .345 for the full season. He missed 4 important games in mid-season with a leg injury.

Paul Timme, the nifty little southpaw who was all-SWC as a sophomore in 1959, had another good campaign as a junior with a 4-2 league record, and walked only 15 men in 49 1/3 innings.

Butch Blume, only a sophomore and who doubles as a half-back in football, was the team batting leader for the full campaign with .388.

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Both are from Lynwood High School.

Both are pitchers.

Both are first string outfielders when not pitching.

Both ended the regular season with .324 batting averages.

Both ended up having pitched 62 innings.

Both had yielded 25 earned runs.

Both posted 3.62 earned run averages.

And, to keep it identical right down the line, both are blond and in their third year of college.

Ohio Conference Picks All-Stars

DELaware, Ohio—League champion Wittenberg and runner-up Wooster each placed 3 men on the All Ohio Conference baseball team for 1960, the first all league squad ever selected by the 14 college conference.

Two pitchers were named to the squad as well as 2 third basemen who finished in a dead heat in the balloting.

Pitcher Keith Ayers, Shortstop

Ron Lancaster and Rightfielder Jim Fisher were picked from Wittenberg; while Wooster placed Pitcher Bill Ashworth, First baseman Bill Thombs and Catcher Dale Weygandt on the league dream team.

Capital gained 2 berths, with George Steele earning center field honors and Ken Leohner sharing third base chores with Mount Union's Glenn Abel.

Completing the all star lineup are Ohio Wesleyan Outfielder Bob Olson in left and Muskingum Second baseman Max Thomas.

Ayers and Ashworth both own 14-11 season's record. He also led his teammates in runs-batted-in with 24, in runs with 29 and in home runs with 7.

Other regulars who hit over 300 were Outfielder Roger Kaiser (.318) and Shortstop Bobby Dews (.302).

Top pitcher was Eddie Chambless who compiled a 5-1 mark with a 2.835 earned run average. Chambless turned in 5 complete games.

Both Inman and Chambless are seniors. The only other senior on the club is Outfielder Jerry Meyer, who hit .247.

Bulldogs Finish With 25 Victories

FRESNO, Calif.—Dethroned as CCAA champion by San Diego State, the Fresno State Bulldogs (25-15) are looking ahead to 1961.

Four of the top 5 hitters will return to help Pete Beiden try to regain the league championship.

Topping the foursome is Third baseman Bobby Paull, who led the team in batting this season with a .346 mark. The others are Outfielders Augie Garrido (.339) and Stan Busch (.311) and Shortstop Mick Mehas (.302). Senior Odell Youngblood was the club's No. 3 hitter at .327.

Jerry MacDonald, the 1960 ace with a 6-2 pitching mark, will also return for another season.

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Longhorns Dominate All-Stars

6 Texans Selected By Sports Directors

AUSTIN — Southwest Conference champion Texas dominated the 1960 all-league team chosen by the sports publicity directors of the member schools.

Six Longhorns, 2 of them pitchers, were chosen on the first team, while 2 more were selected to the second team.

Leading the way in voting for the select team were Southern Methodist First baseman Nick Brownlyke and Texas sophomore Pitcher Tom Belcher. They were the only unanimous picks.

Texas Outfielder Roy Menge, in separate balloting, was chosen the SWC's most outstanding player, while Longhorn Shortstop Bart Shirley was named the outstanding sophomore.

Here's how the first team stacked up (league batting average in parenthesis):

1B — Brownlyke (.396), SMU. 2B — Jerry Funk (.377), Baylor. 3B — Richard Kristinik (.304), Rice. SS — Shirley (.259), Texas. Utility IF — Jim Williams (.373), SMU. OF — Glynn Gregory (.326), SMU; Wayne McDonald (.302), Texas; and Menge (.333). Texas. Utility OF — Jay Arnette (.347), Texas. C — Doug Moore (.450), TCU. P — Tom Belcher (6-0) and Bob Callaway (5-1), Texas, and Bobby Barnett (5-2), Baylor.

The second team:

1B — Lew Brazelton (.321), Texas. 2B — Pat Rigby (.328), Texas. 3B — John Burton (.361), Texas A & M. SS — George Banda (.349), TCU. Utility IF — Lee Raesener (.246), Rice. OF — Byron Barber (.289), Texas. A & M; Bobby Lively (.412), Rice; and Ted Uhlaender (.365), Baylor. Utility OF — Tommy Letbetter (.328), Baylor. C — Jim Fox (.231), Rice. P — Paul Timme (4-2) and Jim Brock (2-0), both Rice, and Jerry Wolff (4-4), SMU.

Michigan Infielder Given \$30,000

DETROIT — The Detroit Tigers have signed a University of Michigan infielder to a bonus contract.

While no official figure was given it was estimated Bill Roman, 21-year-old first baseman, got in the neighborhood of \$30,000 for signing a contract with the Tiger farm club of Denver in the American Assn. He will be optioned to Birmingham in the Southern Assn.

Roman, a native of Detroit, throws and bats left handed. He batted .333 at Michigan this season and .340 in Big 10 competition. He played in the South Dakota Basin League last summer and batted .359 at Pierre.

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By NAT BELLONI

NEW ORLEANS — Combine a \$75,000 bonus baby lefthander, a senior catcher who signed a major league contract for something like \$10,000 and a freshman who hit .509 and you have the start of a successful baseball club.

This is only part of the success story of Loyola of New Orleans this year in collegiate baseball.

The Wolfpack completed its 18-game schedule with a 16-2 record, best in the history of the school.

Darrell Massey, a 6-1, 185-pound freshman, who has amazing control for a lefty, along with a good curve and blazing fastball, signed with the Boston Red Sox organization the day after the season closed.

Massey was signed by Red Sox Scout George Digby for "a figure near \$75,000" for 5 years. Massey, assigned to the Minneapolis Millers of the American Assn.

Butler Powell, the only senior on the club, had at least 5 major league offers in his back

pocket before he signed with Milwaukee and was assigned to Jacksonville in the Sally League. Powell was the starting catcher for the Wolves and caught in every inning during the season.

He led the team in RBI with 20 and hit .246 for the season.

Fred Woessner, a freshman third baseman, led the team in hitting with his .509 average. He had 51 official at-bats and hit safely 26 times. He scored 19 runs, drove in 14 and homered twice.

"Under ordinary circumstances we would be in line for a NCAA tournament bid, but as things stand we have 6 freshman starters and an ineligible senior. Take them out and we have 7 players left . . . not quite enough to play baseball," said Loyola Coach Lou "Rags" Scheuermann.

Before the season started "Rags" said that he could not possibly see how the team could come out with a winning season. "This will be our first losing season in baseball," he predicted.

But his young chargers blasted off to a 5-game winning streak

before being stopped by McNeese State College, 4-1, in the second game of a doubleheader, and then went on to win 12 more games before Southeastern Louisiana College beat them 4-3.

Among the teams which fell prey to the Pack were Louisiana State, Arkansas, Illinois Wesleyan, Southern Illinois, Wheaton College and Spring Hill.

First class pitching on the part of Massey, who bore the burden of the hurling chores with his 6-0 record, along with Bobby Delpidio, 6-1 Lloyd George Webre, 3-1, and Pete Vollenweider, 2-0, gave the Pack a good start.

But pitching alone won't win ball games and Loyola wasn't lacking in the hitting department. Following Woessner's .509 came Delpidio with .444, Sturges Ducoing hitting a healthy .350, Bill Schonacher .330 and Kenny Adolph .300.

"I was surprised that my freshmen came through," said Scheuermann. "It was their first year in college competition, so I just want to sit back and watch them develop into real ball players."

Lead Disappears When Starters Pulled Out

BRIDGEWATER, Mass. — Coach Harry Lehmann of Bridgewater State Teachers College has a good argument for more liberal college baseball substitution rules.

Lehmann's club was leading Durfee Tech 10-0 in the ninth inning of a late season game.

Lehmann had pulled all but 3 of his starters. Suddenly, Durfee went wild to tie the game at 10-10.

There was a happy ending, however. Bridgewater finally won, 11-10, in the 11th inning.

Citadel Sets Athletic 'First'

Never Before Had School Made Playoffs

By STEVE GUBACK

CHARLESTON, S. C. — For the first time in its storied history, The Citadel sent one of its teams into a national playoff—a baseball team that's been a big hit because it hits big.

The Bulldogs, co-champion with Richmond in the Southern Conference, sent a club with a lusty .339 batting average against Florida in the opening round of the NCAA's District 3 playoffs at Gastonia, N. C. Other teams in the field were Atlantic Coast Conference champion North Carolina and at-large entry Florida Southern.

"We've got everything to gain and nothing to lose," Citadel Coach Mack Erwin said after his team finished with a 17-4 record, one of the most successful seasons in the athletic history at the military college. "Anything we do now will be icing on the cake."

This free-and-easy attitude might have been due to a set of extenuating circumstances and the need for a so-called psychological lift. The Citadel was without Pitcher Ed Colby (7-3), Outfielder Tom Clary (.421) and second-unit Catcher Joe Cabrinha (.323), all of whom were ineligible for the playoffs since they played varsity ball as freshmen.

The loss of Colby, a righthander from Brooklyn, N. Y., put more of a burden than ever on slender Dick Almes, who was the Bulldogs' most effective pitcher during the regular

SOUTHERN CONFERENCE (Final Standings)			ALL GAMES			
CONFERENCE GAMES	W	L	Pct.	W	L	
Richmond	8	2	.800	13	3	.813
The Citadel	8	2	.800	17	4	.810
West Virginia	6	4	.600	17	9	.654
Furman	6	4	.600	15	9	.625
Virginia Tech	7	6	.538	10	9	.526
Ge. Washington	5	5	.500	10	6	.625
VMI	5	8	.385	6	8	.429
Davidson	3	5	.375	7	12	.368
Wm. & Mary	2	14	.125	6	15	

season. Almes, also a righthander, ran a 2-season winning streak to 17 games before being beaten in his last game by a run. He finished with a 7-1 record, a dazzling 1.77 earned run average and had 87 strikeouts in 71 innings.

The only other pitchers on the staff were soph Pete Domek (2-0) and junior Keith Layton (1-0), who got their decisions in non-conference games.

Dick Jones, a first baseman-outfielder by trade, was the heavy hitter that helped get The Citadel to the playoffs. The junior from Columbus, Ohio, hit .367 and led the club with 7 home runs and 59 total bases.

Ever since a band of Citadel cadets fired on a Federal troop ship trying to get to Fort Sumter, this military school has been proud of the men manning its big guns. In addition to Jones, this year's big offensive weapons were soph Outfielder Henry Mura (.478), Shortstop Bucky Sharpe (.405) and the ineligible Clary, who led the team with 32 RBI.

Clary, the regular right fielder, was replaced by pinch-hitting specialist Marshall McRee. In 17 trips, McRee had 7 hits, a .412 average, and did not strike out. Fact is, the whole squad fanned only 70 times in 21 games.

Except for one outfield position and the pitcher's spot, The Citadel had a .300-plus hitter for every berth in the lineup. Other averages were Third baseman Howie Mikytuck's .388; Catcher Royce Toni's .341; and Second baseman Bill Whaley's .314. The club averaged exactly 8 runs a game.

Upper Leads Hobart GENEVA, N. Y. — Hobart's Statesmen (4-7) were paced during 1960 by Jim Upper's .317 batting average and Mike Charpin-sky's 1.80 earned run average.

Classification System Necessary For Playoffs Says O'Hora

HAMILTON, N. Y. — College baseball must set up some form of classification system if it wants to achieve the status of football and basketball, Colgate Coach Frank J. "Red" O'Hora says.

O'Hora was chairman of the special NCAA selection committee which picked District 2 playoff entries.

The committee's task was complicated because 115 colleges took part in district play. Although football and basketball teams are rated as major or minor, no such distinction has yet been made in baseball.

O'Hora says he feels this works an injustice on small colleges which post fine records but have to be bypassed in favor of teams that show they can stand up under the grind in fast company.

College football teams are classified by the Football Writers Assn. The National Collegiate Athletic Bureau works with the Basketball Writers Assn. to rank teams in that sport. At present, there is no college baseball writers group.

As a step toward this goal, O'Hora urges formation of a conference made up of the strongest teams in New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Delaware. Teams playing a representative portion of their schedules — O'Hora suggests a third as a starter — would be considered for major ranking.

Membership in the baseball conference could be drawn from teams such as Penn State, Pittsburgh, Lafayette, Villanova, Temple, Delaware, Rutgers, Colgate, Syracuse and Ithaca.

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3 Clubs Dominate CCAA Honor Lineup

LOS ANGELES — Three players each from Los Angeles State, San Diego State and Fresno State have been named to the California Collegiate Athletic Assn. All-Star team.

The first team: 1B — Richard Nen (.291), Long Beach State; 2B — Bob Lagunas (.388), LA State; 3B — Denny Totland (.345), LA State. SS — Dan Adams (.336), LA State. OF — Roger Hull (.392), Long Beach; Dick Salomon (.340), San Diego State; and Augie Garrido (.339), Fresno State. C — James Garrett (.295), Fresno. P — Ed Vegely (6-5), Fresno; Tom Biscotti (8-4), San Diego State; and Jim Newkirk (5-7), Cal Poly. Utility — Bob Imray (.217), San Diego State.

The second team: 1B — Bob Williams (.323), Cal Poly; 2B — Dave Watt (.291), Long Beach; 3B — Bob Paull (.346), Fresno. SS — Rick Sutherland (.281), San Diego State. OF — Dennis Rickards (.286), San Diego State; Richard Simmons (.256), Cal Poly; and Tom Turrill (.283), Long Beach. C — Bob Metz (.303), LA State. P — Doug Major (4-0), LA State; Fred Warrecker (4-8), UCSB; and Jerry McDonald (6-2), Fresno.

WMU Star Hits .393, Wins Title

Frank Quilici Edges Past Toledo's Ross

KALAMAZOO, Mich. — For the second straight year, a Western Michigan player has captured the Mid-American Conference batting championship.

A year ago, it was Leftfielder Larry Buchanan, who hit at a sizzling .526 pace.

Buchanan was back to defend his title this year, but he fell way behind the .393 pace set by teammate Frank Quilici, a shortstop.

Runner-up to Quilici was Toledo Outfielder Kent Ross, who finished with a .387 mark. Ed Purk, Bowling Green third baseman, was third at .381.

Ohio University, league champion, had 3 players tied for the No. 4 spot, all with .370 averages. They were Rightfielder Joe Nossek, Third baseman Dale Bandy and Catcher Bob Wandersleben.

Others in the top 10 were Paul Serra, Kent, .352; Larry Belanger, WMU, .348; Ron Blackledge, Bowling Green, .346; and Fred Conley, Marshall, .345.

The leagues top hurler was Marshall's Marion Maher with a 1.45 earned run average. He won 3 and lost 1.

George O'Kresik, Miami, was 2.45 and 4-2; and Gene Cooley, WMU, was 2.79 and 2-1.

Undefeated pitchers in league play were Ohio's Ted Stute (4-0) and Ed Pentecost (3-0) and Arlo Spiess, Toledo, 2-0, and Dave Hornick, Bowling Green, 4-0.

**MID-AMERICAN CONFERENCE
(Final Standings)**

TEAM	W	L
Ohio	8	1
Miami	6	6
Kent State	4	4
Marshall	4	4
Bowling Green	4	5
WMU	3	4
Toledo	2	7

Gladding Heads Pomona Batsmen

POMONA, Calif. — Infielders Dale Gladding (.327) and Larry Johnson (.312) paced Pomona hitters during 1960.

Double-duty Stan Granch was third with .306. He won 4, lost 5 and posted a 2.99 earned run average as a pitcher.

The Sagehens compiled a 12-22 record. They were 4-11 in Southern California Intercollegiate Conference play.

Oriole Bonus Amount Undisclosed

Junior Bob Clem Signs

TALLAHASSEE — Florida State has lost the services for next season of its leading hitter for the past 2 seasons.

Bob Clem, versatile 21-year-old junior centerfielder who set a school-record .436 batting average in 1959, has signed a Baltimore Orioles bonus contract for an undisclosed sum.

Signed by Baltimore Scout Bill Herring at his Atlanta home, Clem was assigned to Miami of the Class AAA International League. The Marlins have optioned him to Aberdeen, S. D., of the Class C Northern League.

Clem, who compiled a 2-season batting mark of .410 for the Seminoles, led FSU in 7 departments while hitting .383 in 22 games this season. He was a second-team All-America choice

at second base in 1959 before moving to the outfield this campaign.

Clem led in hits (36), doubles

Bobby Lagunas Finishes At .388

LOS ANGELES — Bobby Lagunas' .388 average topped 8 Los Angeles State (30-11) hitters who finished the season over the .300 mark.

Others were Dave Griffith (.374), Bob LoCicero (.364), Denny Totland (.345), Dan Adams (.336), Ron Townsend (.314), Bob Metz (.303) and John Loyd (.302).

Don Isaacs' 5-0 record (2.85 earned run average) was tops for the mound staff. John Nyquist also won 5, but lost 4. Reliever Doug Major was 4-0 and 2.30.

(7), triples (5), total bases (62), stolen bases (10), runs-batted-in (24) and batting average (.383). Clem tied a single-season Seminole record of 5 triples set by Bob Hudson in 1953.

Of Clem's 80 hits in 2 seasons with FSU, 24 went for extra bases. He tied a long-standing school record with 5 triples this season.

A left-hand batter, Clem plans to return to Florida State during the off-season to continue work toward a degree.

Although terms of Clem's contract were not disclosed, it was believed that he received the largest bonus ever given to a Florida State player. Other FSU diamond standouts signed in recent years have reportedly received in excess of \$22,000.

Hurlers Go Route In 15-Inning Marathon

BRIDGEWATER, Mass. — Two northeastern pitchers showed this season that the day of the "Iron Man" has not disappeared.

Guy Kenneson, of Plymouth, N. H., Teachers College, and Gordon Bates, of Bridgewater, Mass., State Teachers College, hooked up in a marathon 15-inning pitching duel.

Kenneson came out on top as Plymouth won 7-5. He whiffed 21 of the opposing batsmen along the way.

Braves Sign Cox

MILWAUKEE — The Milwaukee Braves have signed right-handed Pitcher Dave Cox, a junior at West Chester State Teachers College to a contract. The 21-year-old hurler has been assigned to Louisville of the American Assn.

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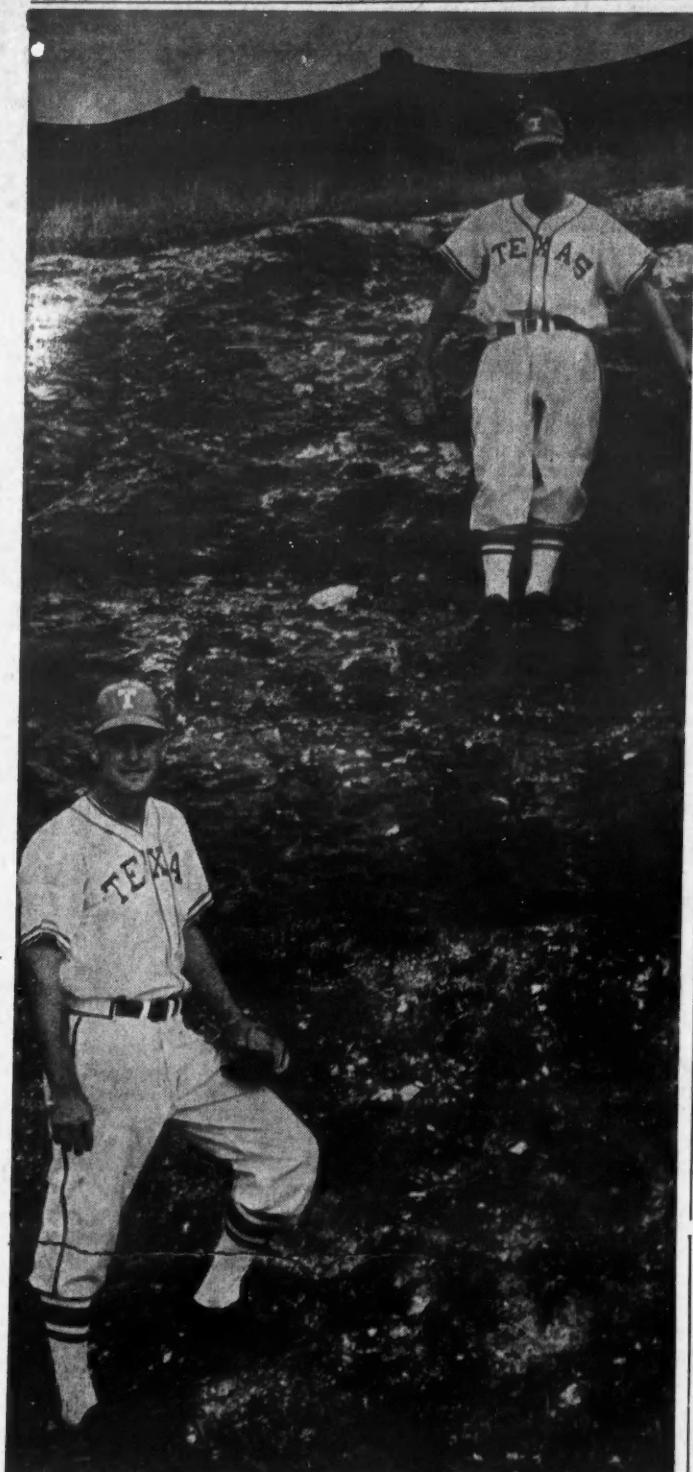


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Billy Goat Hill at the University of Texas' Clark Field is tall enough to trouble any outfielder, as indicated here by Longhorn Center fielder Roy Menge (top) and Right fielder Wayne McDonald. Menge has located 3 paths to the top of the 15-foot escarpment, and is a defensive threat to any visiting hitter who raps the ball atop the cliff in dead center field.

In Skyline East

2 Clubs Dominate All-Star Team

DENVER — Champion Wyoming and runner-up New Mexico, with 4 selections each, dominated the Skyline conference's Eastern Division all-star team.

Outfielder Pat Thorpe (.350), the only repeater from the 1959 all-star team, Shortstop Mark Meka (.420), Third baseman

Mike Kolbicka (.190) and Outfielder Joe Netherton (.306) are the Wyoming choices.

New Mexico, which narrowly lost to Wyoming for the divisional championship, placed First baseman Ev Palanco (.310), Second baseman Ron Beisel (.315), Catcher Buddy Robertson (.390) and Pitcher Gig Brummell (3-2), the league's leading hurler.

Third place Colorado State University placed 1 man, Outfielder Ken Mazur (.333), while last-place Denver also placed 1 man, left-handed Pitcher Jim Martin (2-3).

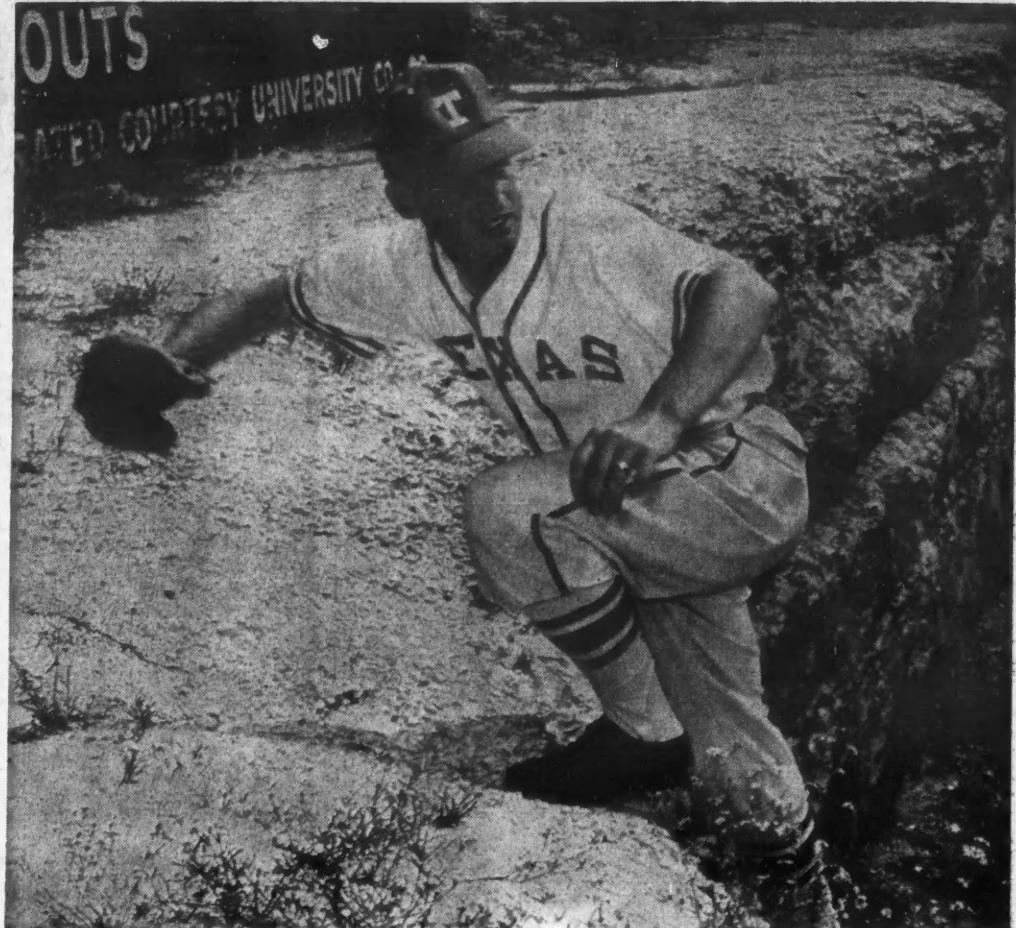
Meka and Robertson were the only unanimous choices. Closest balloting was for the third outfield position where Netherton beat out Ward Gates of CSU by 1 point. Martin was a narrow pitching choice over the 2 second-team selections, Wyoming's Jim Carothers (2-2) and New Mexico's Tommy Bruskas (3-1).

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Texas' Roy Menge is shown atop Billy Goat Hill in UT's Clark Field. In the background is Clark Field scoreboard. Cliff at this point in center field is approximately 15 feet high. Menge is particularly adept at playing the cliff, having found 3 paths by which he can reach the top.

Texas Outfield Obstacle

Shock Treatment Needed After Seeing 'Billy Goat'

By JOE HEILING

AUSTIN, Texas—The first glimpse of Billy Goat Hill is a shocking experience from which few visiting center fielders ever recover. Billy Goat Hill is a rocky cliff, 365 feet away in center field from home plate at the University of Texas' Clark Field.

The cliff soars some 15 feet from ground level and the rub is that a ball whacked atop the "mountain" remains in play.

Ron Causton of Minnesota tried to scale the cliff in an early season series with Texas only to meet with utter frustration. He couldn't find a path to the top. "All I could do was hunt for a ledge," Causton moaned afterwards. "I couldn't find anything to hang on to. It was a hopeless feeling."

While Causton scrambled frantically—and unsuccessfully—to master the cliff, the Longhorns' Wayne McDonald circled the bas-



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es for an easy home run.

Billy Goat Hill doesn't win any popularity contests in the Texas camp either.

Bibb Falk, the veteran Texas coach, says quite frankly: "I wish they'd blast that thing out of there and put a fence up in its place."

Roy Menge is the Texas mountain climber and he's developed his skill at scaling the heights. He's learned to live with it—much as one does the black sheep of the family.

Three spots are marked off by Menge as guides for ascending the steep cliff at top speed in pursuit of a ball. One's to dead center, another to the right and the third to the left side of the scoreboard which sits atop the hill.

"There's nothing hard about getting up there," Roy says, "just

knowing when to go and where. If you don't get up there quick, there's no sense in going up. It'd be a home run anyway."

No one has ever caught a drive atop the summit for an out and Menge is the first to admit the improbability of such a feat.

"The ball would have to be hit awfully high," he explained, "and you'd have to be real lucky. About the only place it could be done would be to the left of the scoreboard. But the ground there is real narrow."

After 3 seasons, Roy can recall only 1 occasion when he raced up the cliff and held the hitter to less than a triple. He did cut down a runner at home plate this season with a perfect throw from the hill that the shortstop relayed to the catcher.

McDonald, the Longhorn right fielder, shouts instructions when a long drive is rapped in Menge's direction—on whether or not to make like a billy goat.

Yet Megge has been tormented by the picture of one day scaling the hulking structure only to see the ball fall shy of the cliff and drop for an easy hit.

Utah Places 5 Men On Skyline West Squad

SALT LAKE CITY — Champion University of Utah placed 5 men on the Western Division All-Star team chosen by publicists of the member schools.

Brigham Young University, which chased the Utes right down to the wire had 4 men on the honor club. Montana placed 2 and Utah State 1.

Terry Scenar (.452), Montana first baseman, Bill Cowan (.429), Utah outfielder, and Jack Lamourne (6-0), Utah pitcher, were the only unanimous choices.

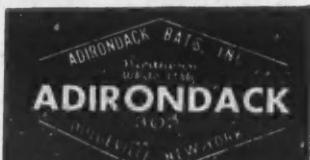
Utah's Keith Ancell (.394 and 3-1) was picked as the utility man since he had been effective as a pitcher and played good ball as a first baseman. He was one of the league's leading hitters.

Others on the first team were Catcher Jim Pierson (.333), BYU; Second baseman LaMar Gehr-

ing (.362), Utah; Third baseman Pete Marks (.386), BYU; Shortstop Dolph Camilli (.400), Utah State; Outfielders Roger Burt (.364), BYU, and Darryl Eisner (.349), Utah; and Pitchers Bob Mosteller (4-2), BYU; and Butch Hendricks (1-2), Montana.

On the second team were Catcher Tom Lovat (.256), Utah; First baseman Ken Viera (.342), Utah; Second baseman Hugh McMillan (.400), BYU; Third baseman John Matte (.250), Montana; Shortstop Danny Moore (.386), BYU; Outfielders Gordon Oborn (.325), Utah, Max Sluga (.439), Utah State, and Lloyd Ayers (.348), Montana; and Pitchers Bob Noel (2-0), BYU; and Harold Warfle (0-0), Utah. Chosen as a utility man was Dick Held (.313), Montana.

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Pfeiffer Pitcher Unbeaten

Jamieson Wins 22

Games Without Loss

MISENHEIMER, N. C. — Unsung Tommy Jamieson, a left-handed pitcher for Pfeiffer College, has finished his final season as a collegiate player.

Coach Joe Ferebee calls Jamieson "my pitcher of note." And a look at the record, indicates that Ferebee is understating his case.

In 4 years of college competition, Jamieson did not lose a single contest.

The youngster, who has gained North Carolina All-State Collegiate honors for 2 years running, has won 22 games, while compiling a brilliant 0.48 earned run average.

Jamieson has picked up his victories against such competition as Davidson, The Citadel, Wofford, Williams, Elon, Guilford, High Point, Belmont Abbey, Atlantic Christian, Catawba, Pembroke, Western Maryland and Adelphi.

In 142 innings against these clubs, he has given up just 99 hits. He walked 42 men and whiffed 108 over the same span.

All totaled, Jamieson has appeared in just 24 games and been around for the decision in 22 of them.

As a freshman, he won 2 games, then followed that up with 5 triumphs in 1958, 9 in 1959 and 6 this year.

Jamieson's appearance on the Pfeiffer campus coincided with Ferebee's. The coach has compiled a 65-15 record in his 4 years.

Since 22 of the wins were by Jamieson, it's easy to see why he's called "my pitcher of note."



Coach Ferebee and Prize Pupil

Geneva's Yancy Seeks Repeat In MVP Race

BEAVER FALLS, Pa.—Final statistics on Geneva's Tom Yancy show why he's a contender for Most Valuable Player honors in the West Penn Conference again this season.

Geneva won 8 of 12 games during the season, including a 5-2 league record, and the Tornadoes of Coach Don Ledrick were runners-up for NAIA District 30 honors. After defeating California in the semi-final, Geneva was defeated by Indiana for the title.

A much sought-after pitcher-first baseman, Yancy has concluded his collegiate baseball career with a seasonal batting average of .468, and he was undefeated in 5 games as a pitcher.

Winner of the 1959 MVP award, Yancy finished with a 2.12 earned run average, slightly higher than his average last season of 1.89. He batted .419 in 1959.

A left-hand pitcher and right-hand batter, Yancy has been approached by every major league baseball team with the exception of the Pittsburgh Pirates.

In 32 official times at bat, Yancy collected 14 hits, including 5 doubles, and he scored 9 runs. He drew more bases on balls than any other Geneva player (9) and was second with total bases, 20.

In the field Yancy had the best fielding average on the Tornado team. He had only 1 error all season. That came in the seventh inning of the final game of the year. He was second in number of put-outs and first in number of assists. Yancy finished with a .986 fielding average.

Geneva had 2 other players who batted over the .300 mark, including the team captain, Jim Ebersberger, who hit .311, and Mel Cook who swung at a .307 clip. All are seniors, including Yancy.

Pitchers 'Donate' Throwing Arms To Experiment

STORM LAKE, Iowa—Buena Vista's high-flying pitching staff, which carved out a fine 17-5 record during the regular season, was clocked for speeding recently, but no traffic tickets were issued.

As a part of a physics class project some of the Beaver mound performers were wired for sound to determine how fast they could throw a baseball. Bad weather forced the experiment indoors, so the speeds recorded were not as high as could be expected in an outside test.

Three pitchers took part with Erv Dotson throwing the fastest at 75 miles per hour. Ron Rumble was recorded at 74 m.p.h. and Larry Wilson at 71½ m.p.h. Infielder-outfielder Larry Kruse actually had the best speed at 77½ m.p.h.

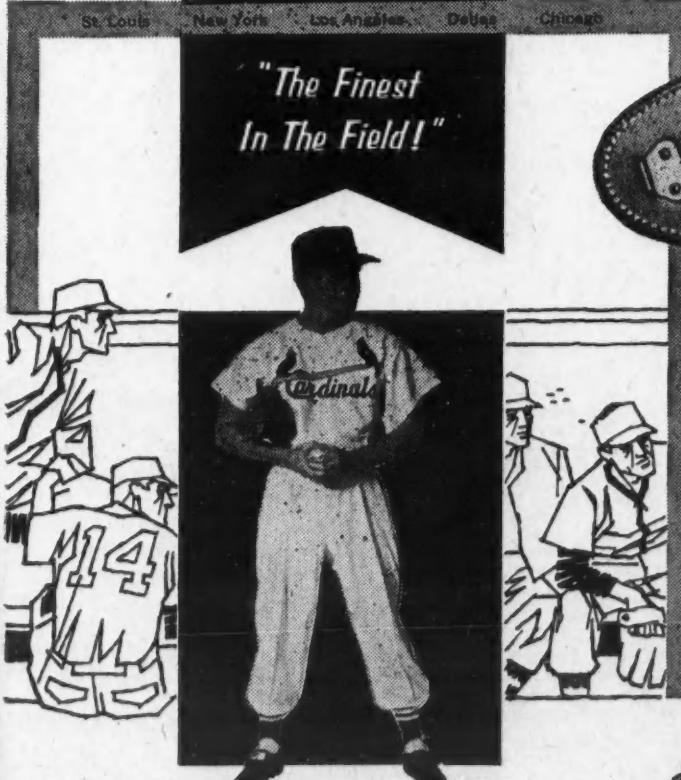
Basically, the experiment consisted of placing a wrist microphone on the throwing arm. The impulse in the microphone, which occurred when the wrist was snapped, set off a relay which began the timing circuit. The target was wired so that when it was knocked down, the circuit stopped.

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